

## **Exhibits 1 – 8**

**TO THE DECLARATION OF  
AMY WALSH RE: DEFENDANT  
RAMESH BALWANI'S MOTION TO  
EXCLUDE EVIDENCE AND  
ARGUMENT THAT  
PHARMACEUTICAL REPORTS  
WERE ALTERED**

# **Exhibit 1**



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PLAINTIFF, ) SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA  
)  
VS. ) VOLUME 4  
)  
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10:11AM 1 CONTRACT WITH THE U.S. ARMY BURN CENTER IN TEXAS FOR A RESEARCH  
10:12AM 2 STUDY IN THE UNITED STATES THAT WAS SUFFERING FROM LOW PATIENT  
10:12AM 3 ENROLLMENT.

10:12AM 4 AFTER THAT, THE DEFENDANT WAS ALSO TRYING TO USE HER  
10:12AM 5 CONTACTS, INCLUDING CONTACTS ON HER BOARD, TO GET DIFFERENT  
10:12AM 6 BRANCHES OF THE MILITARY TO USE THE MINIATURE BLOOD ANALYZER.

10:12AM 7 BUT THE DEFENDANT'S EFFORTS NEVER WENT ANYWHERE AS YOU  
10:12AM 8 WILL HEAR FROM A THERANOS INSIDER AND FROM OTHERS.

10:12AM 9 THE DEFENDANT, HOWEVER, LED INVESTORS TO BELIEVE THAT THE  
10:12AM 10 MINIATURE BLOOD ANALYZER HAD BEEN DEPLOYED IN REMOTE AREAS OF  
10:12AM 11 THE WORLD; THAT IT WAS USED ON MILITARY HELICOPTERS, OR  
10:12AM 12 MEDIVACS, AND THAT IT WAS ACTUALLY SAVING THE LIVES OF SOLDIERS  
10:12AM 13 IN THE FIELD.

10:12AM 14 THE THIRD CATEGORY OF MISREPRESENTATION THAT YOU WILL HEAR  
10:13AM 15 ABOUT IS THAT THE DEFENDANT MISLED INVESTORS INTO BELIEVING  
10:13AM 16 THAT PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES ENDORSED AND APPROVED THE  
10:13AM 17 MINIATURE BLOOD ANALYZER. AND LET ME GIVE YOU ONE EXAMPLE OF  
10:13AM 18 HOW THE DEFENDANT DID THAT.

10:13AM 19 AS I MENTIONED EARLY ON, THERANOS DID DO SOME WORK WITH  
10:13AM 20 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES. ONE OF THEM WAS PFIZER. SOME OF YOU  
10:13AM 21 MAY HAVE HEARD OF PFIZER, AND WE'RE ALL GRATEFUL TO PFIZER FOR  
10:13AM 22 THE ABILITY TO BE HERE TODAY.

10:13AM 23 PRIOR TO 2009, PFIZER HAD A \$900,000 CONTRACT WITH  
10:13AM 24 THERANOS.

10:13AM 25 IN OCTOBER OF 2008, THE DEFENDANT EMAILED A FINAL REPORT

10:13AM 1 TO PFIZER ON ITS WORK. THE REPORT, AS YOU SEE HERE, HAD THE  
10:13AM 2 OLD THERANOS LOGO ON IT, AND IT SET FORTH A NUMBER OF  
10:14AM 3 CONCLUSIONS THAT THERANOS HAD REACHED FROM ITS WORK.

10:14AM 4 HOLMES CLAIMED THE ANALYZER PERFORMED WITH SUPERIOR  
10:14AM 5 PERFORMANCE, SHE CLAIMED IT DEMONSTRATED GOOD CORRELATIONS, AND  
10:14AM 6 SHE CLAIMED THAT IT HAD ROBUST FUNCTIONALITY.

10:14AM 7 PFIZER, YOU WILL LEARN, READ THIS REPORT AND WAS NOT  
10:14AM 8 IMPRESSED. PFIZER CONCLUDED IT WAS UNCONVINCING AND THAT  
10:14AM 9 THERANOS'S DEFENSE WAS NON-INFORMATIVE AND EVASIVE.

10:14AM 10 PFIZER TOLD THE DEFENDANT SHORTLY AFTER RECEIVING THE  
10:14AM 11 REPORT THAT IT HAD NO USE FOR THERANOS'S TECHNOLOGY. AND AFTER  
10:14AM 12 DOING SO, PFIZER NEVER DID BUSINESS WITH THERANOS AGAIN.

10:14AM 13 BUT THE DEFENDANT GAVE AN ENTIRELY DIFFERENT AND FALSE  
10:15AM 14 STORY TO HER INVESTORS.

10:15AM 15 IN MULTIPLE PRESENTATIONS, THE DEFENDANT TOLD INVESTORS  
10:15AM 16 THAT THERANOS SYSTEMS HAVE BEEN COMPREHENSIVELY VALIDATED BY  
10:15AM 17 10 OF THE 15 LARGEST PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES.

10:15AM 18 AND TO PROVE THIS, SHE PROVIDED TO INVESTORS EXEMPLARY  
10:15AM 19 REPORTS FROM PHARMACEUTICAL PARTNERS. ONE OF THE SO-CALLED  
10:15AM 20 EXEMPLARY REPORTS THAT SHE GAVE TO INVESTORS IS THE ONE THAT  
10:15AM 21 I'M SHOWING YOU NOW.

10:15AM 22 THIS IS PURPORTEDLY FROM PFIZER. IT HAS THE PFIZER LOGO.

10:15AM 23 AND THE DEFENDANT HELD THIS OUT AS DEMONSTRATING THAT  
10:15AM 24 PFIZER CONCLUDED THAT THE ANALYZER HAD SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE,  
10:16AM 25 GOOD CORRELATIONS, AND ROBUST FUNCTIONALITY.

1 BUT AS YOU WILL HEAR, PFIZER DID NOT WRITE THIS. PFIZER  
2 DID NOT PUT ITS LOGO ON THIS. PFIZER DID NOT GIVE ITS  
3 PERMISSION TO PUT ITS LOGO ON THIS. PFIZER DID NOT MAKE THE  
4 CONCLUSIONS IN THIS REPORT. IN FACT, IT CAME TO THE OPPOSITE  
5 CONCLUSIONS.

6 YET, THE DEFENDANT GAVE THIS TO INVESTORS TO GIVE THE  
7 FALSE IMPRESSION THAT PFIZER ENDORSED THERANOS'S MINIATURE  
8 BLOOD ANALYZER.

9 LET ME NOW TELL YOU ABOUT THE FOURTH CATEGORY OF  
10 MISREPRESENTATION THAT YOU WILL HEAR ABOUT.

11 THE DEFENDANT MISLED POTENTIAL INVESTORS WITH FALSE AND  
12 MISLEADING INFORMATION ABOUT THERANOS'S FINANCIAL POSITION AND  
13 PROJECTIONS.

14 YOU WILL HEAR FROM THERANOS'S TOP FINANCE OFFICER, WHO  
15 WILL TELL YOU THAT THERANOS HAD APPROXIMATELY \$500,000 IN  
16 REVENUE IN 2011, ZERO IN 2012, ZERO IN 2013, AND ABOUT \$150,000  
17 IN 2014.

18 THE DEFENDANT, HOWEVER, WAS TELLING HER INVESTORS THAT  
19 THERANOS COULD PERFORM ALL OF THE BLOOD TESTS AT A FRACTION OF  
20 THE COST, AND SHE WAS TELLING THEM AS LATE AS OCTOBER OF 2014  
21 THAT THERANOS WOULD HAVE \$140 MILLION IN REVENUE, AND  
22 \$40 MILLION FROM PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES BY THE END OF 2014.

23 BUT THERANOS HAD LOST ANY SIGNIFICANT PHARMACEUTICAL  
24 BUSINESS, AND IT WAS NOWHERE ACHIEVING THE REVENUE PROJECTIONS  
25 THAT THE DEFENDANT WAS PEDDLING.

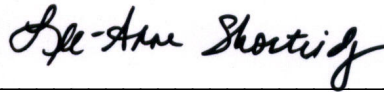
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02:43PM 1 Q. AND WHAT DO YOU RECALL ABOUT THAT?

02:43PM 2 A. AGAIN, THAT THESE MIGHT BE SOME LOW HANGING FRUIT, SO TO  
02:43PM 3 SPEAK, IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO GET IN THE MARKET AND START TO  
02:43PM 4 UNDERSTAND THINGS LIKE CONSUMER ACCEPTANCE OF LAB IN A DRUG  
02:43PM 5 STORE AND OTHER LEARNINGS.

02:43PM 6 Q. OKAY. WOULD YOU NOW TURN TO EXHIBIT 291 IN YOUR BINDER.

02:43PM 7 THE FIRST PAGE HAS A COUPLE OF EMAILS ON IT, AND THEN  
02:43PM 8 THERE ARE SOME ATTACHMENTS. WOULD YOU JUST SPEND A MINUTE AND  
02:43PM 9 FLIP THROUGH THAT AND I'M GOING TO ASK YOU IF YOU RECOGNIZE THE  
02:44PM 10 ATTACHMENTS.

02:44PM 11 A. OKAY.

02:44PM 12 Q. DO YOU RECOGNIZE THE ATTACHMENTS?

02:44PM 13 A. I DO.

02:44PM 14 Q. AND WHAT ARE THE ATTACHMENTS?

02:44PM 15 A. THESE ARE EXCERPTS FROM THE THREE PHARMA COMPANIES,  
02:44PM 16 DOCUMENTS THAT WERE SHARED WITH US MORE OR LESS VALIDATING THE  
02:44PM 17 WORK THAT THEY HAD DONE WITH THEM.

02:44PM 18 Q. SO EARLIER WHEN YOU TALKED ABOUT SEEING SOME VALIDATION  
02:44PM 19 REPORTS FROM PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES, ARE THESE THOSE REPORTS?

02:44PM 20 A. YES.

02:44PM 21 Q. AND THEN THE EMAIL ON THE TOP OF THE FIRST PAGE FROM  
02:44PM 22 MS. HOLMES TO TWO EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING DR. ROSAN ON THIS EMAIL,  
02:44PM 23 YOU'RE NOT ON THIS EMAIL; IS THAT RIGHT?

02:44PM 24 A. I'M NOT.

02:44PM 25 Q. BUT YOU STILL SAW THESE ATTACHMENTS AT SOME POINT?

02:45PM 1 A. YEAH. I RECALL DR. ROSAN SHARING THOSE WITH ME.

02:45PM 2 MR. SCHENK: YOUR HONOR, THE GOVERNMENT OFFERS THE

02:45PM 3 FIRST EMAIL ON THE FIRST PAGE, THE ONE FROM MS. HOLMES AND THE

02:45PM 4 ATTACHMENTS.

02:45PM 5 MR. DOWNEY: NO OBJECTION, YOUR HONOR.

02:45PM 6 THE COURT: THOSE ARE ADMITTED, AND THEY MAY BE

02:45PM 7 PUBLISHED.

02:45PM 8 (GOVERNMENT'S EXHIBIT 291 WAS RECEIVED IN EVIDENCE.)

02:45PM 9 BY MR. SCHENK:

02:45PM 10 Q. LET'S START FIRST WITH AN EMAIL FROM MS. HOLMES ON

02:45PM 11 APRIL 2010.

02:45PM 12 DO YOU SEE THAT EMAIL?

02:45PM 13 A. YES.

02:45PM 14 Q. AND IT READS "DR. JAY, ALEX.

02:45PM 15 "AS PER OUR DISCUSSION, PLEASE FIND THREE INDEPENDENT DUE

02:45PM 16 DILIGENCE REPORTS ON THERANOS SYSTEMS ATTACHED TO THIS EMAIL.

02:45PM 17 THESE REPORTS ARE FROM GLAXOSMITHKLINE, PFIZER, AND

02:45PM 18 SCHERING-PLOUGH AFTER THEIR OWN TECHNICAL VALIDATION AND

02:46PM 19 EXPERIENCE WITH THERANOS SYSTEMS IN THE FIELD. PLEASE NOTE

02:46PM 20 THAT THESE DOCUMENTS ARE STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL UNDER OUR CDA."

02:46PM 21 IN THE EMAIL, SHE WRITES "INDEPENDENT DUE DILIGENCE

02:46PM 22 REPORTS." IS THAT CONSISTENT WITH YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT

02:46PM 23 THESE REPORTS WERE?

02:46PM 24 A. YES.

02:46PM 25 Q. AND SHE ALSO WRITES THAT GLAXO, PFIZER, AND



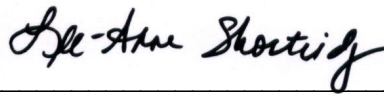
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10:09AM 1 A. I WAS.

10:09AM 2 Q. YOU SHOULD HAVE A BINDER UP THERE AT THE WITNESS STAND, A

10:09AM 3 WHITE BINDER, AND I'D LIKE TO DRAW YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE, TO

10:09AM 4 WHAT HAS BEEN MARKED AS TRIAL EXHIBIT 143.

10:09AM 5 YOUR HONOR, I MOVE EXHIBIT 143 INTO EVIDENCE. I

10:09AM 6 UNDERSTAND THERE'S A STIPULATION.

10:09AM 7 MR. CLINE: NO OBJECTION.

10:09AM 8 THE COURT: IT'S ADMITTED. IT MAY BE PUBLISHED.

10:09AM 9 (GOVERNMENT'S EXHIBIT 143 WAS RECEIVED IN EVIDENCE.)

10:09AM 10 BY MR. LEACH:

10:09AM 11 Q. DO YOU HAVE THAT IN FRONT OF YOU, SIR?

10:09AM 12 A. I DO.

10:09AM 13 Q. OKAY. AND IF I COULD ASK MS. HOLLIMAN TO PLEASE ZOOM IN

10:09AM 14 ON THE TOP HALF OF THIS EMAIL.

10:10AM 15 MR. WEBER, DOES THIS APPEAR TO BE AN EMAIL FROM

10:10AM 16 ELIZABETH HOLMES TO TWO INDIVIDUALS NAMED AIDEN POWER AND

10:10AM 17 CRAIG LIPSET?

10:10AM 18 A. IT DOES APPEAR TO BE SO.

10:10AM 19 Q. WHO IS AIDEN POWER?

10:10AM 20 A. AIDEN POWER IS THE VICE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE OF MOLECULAR

10:10AM 21 MEDICINE, WHICH IS A WORLDWIDE UNIT OF PFIZER.

10:10AM 22 Q. OKAY. WERE YOU PART OF THE MOLECULAR MEDICINE GROUP?

10:10AM 23 A. I WAS.

10:10AM 24 Q. OKAY. AND THERE'S ANOTHER NAME, CRAIG LIPSET. WHO IS

10:10AM 25 CRAIG LIPSET?

10:10AM 1 A. CRAIG LIPSET WAS THE DIRECTOR OF CLINICAL INNOVATION AND  
10:10AM 2 MOLECULAR MEDICINE.

10:10AM 3 Q. WAS HE SOMEBODY THAT YOU WORKED WITH?

10:10AM 4 A. YES, I WORKED WITH HIM.

10:10AM 5 Q. OKAY. HOW DID YOU GET THE ASSIGNMENT TO REVIEW THERANOS'S  
10:10AM 6 TECHNOLOGY IN THIS LATE 2008 TIME PERIOD?

10:10AM 7 A. AS I REMEMBER IT, THERE WAS AN EMAIL FROM CRAIG LIPSET TO  
10:11AM 8 ME ASKING ME TO LOOK AT THE DIAGNOSTIC CAPABILITY OF THERANOS.

10:11AM 9 Q. OKAY. I WANT TO FOCUS ON -- AND THE DATE OF THIS IS  
10:11AM 10 OCTOBER 11TH, 2008.

10:11AM 11 DO YOU SEE THAT?

10:11AM 12 A. I DO.

10:11AM 13 Q. AND IS THIS CONSISTENT WITH THE TIME PERIOD WHEN YOU WERE  
10:11AM 14 ASKED TO REVIEW THERANOS'S TECHNOLOGY?

10:11AM 15 A. YES, I WAS ASKED AFTER THIS DATE.

10:11AM 16 Q. OKAY. I KNOW YOU'RE NOT ON THIS EMAIL, BUT I'D LIKE TO  
10:11AM 17 DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE THIRD PARAGRAPH.

10:11AM 18 DO YOU SEE WHERE MS. HOLMES WROTE, "I AM VERY PLEASED TO  
10:11AM 19 PRESENT YOU WITH THE FINAL DATA - SEE THE ATTACHED STUDY  
10:11AM 20 REPORT."

10:11AM 21 DO YOU SEE THAT? WE'RE IN THE THIRD PARAGRAPH, AND IT'S  
10:11AM 22 HIGHLIGHTED ON THE SCREEN AS WELL.

10:11AM 23 A. YES, I SEE THIS NOW. "I AM VERY PLEASED," YES, I SEE THIS  
10:11AM 24 THIRD PARAGRAPH.

10:11AM 25 Q. OKAY. AND SHE'S DRAWING ATTENTION TO AN ATTACHED STUDY

10:12AM 1 REPORT.

10:12AM 2 CAN I PLEASE ASK YOU TO LOOK AT PAGE 3 OF THIS DOCUMENT.

10:12AM 3 A. YES.

10:12AM 4 Q. DOES THIS APPEAR TO BE THE ATTACHED STUDY REPORT THAT

10:12AM 5 MS. HOLMES REFERRED TO IN THE EMAIL?

10:12AM 6 A. IT WOULD SEEM TO BE SO.

10:12AM 7 Q. OKAY. AND DO YOU SEE THE LOGO AT THE TOP WITH THERANOS

10:12AM 8 REDEFINING HEALTH CARE?

10:12AM 9 A. YES.

10:12AM 10 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE LABEL CONFIDENTIAL IN THE RIGHT CORNER

10:12AM 11 ON THE TOP PAGE?

10:12AM 12 A. I DO.

10:12AM 13 Q. OKAY. THE TITLE OF THIS IS THERANOS ANGIOGENESIS STUDY

10:13AM 14 REPORT.

10:13AM 15 DO YOU SEE THAT?

10:13AM 16 A. I DO.

10:13AM 17 Q. IN THIS LATE 2008 TIME PERIOD, WERE YOU MADE AWARE OF WORK

10:13AM 18 BY PFIZER AND THERANOS RELATING TO AN ANGIOGENESIS PROGRAM?

10:13AM 19 A. YES.

10:13AM 20 Q. OKAY. DO YOU SEE WHERE IT SAYS "PREPARED FOR

10:13AM 21 DR. AIDAN POWER, PFIZER, INC.?

10:13AM 22 A. I DO.

10:13AM 23 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THAT THERE'S, BENEATH THAT, A DOCUMENT

10:13AM 24 OUTLINE?

10:13AM 25 A. I DO.

10:13AM 1 Q. OKAY. AND I'D LIKE TO FOCUS ON THE BULLET WITH  
10:13AM 2 CONCLUSIONS. DO YOU SEE THAT? IT'S THE LAST BULLET UNDERNEATH  
10:13AM 3 DOCUMENT OUTLINE.

10:13AM 4 AND MS. HOLLIMAN IS ZOOMING OUT ON THE SCREEN AND  
10:13AM 5 HIGHLIGHTING THAT FOR US.

10:13AM 6 DO YOU SEE THAT?

10:13AM 7 A. I SEE THAT.

10:13AM 8 Q. OKAY. COULD YOU NOW PLEASE TURN TO PAGE 26.

10:14AM 9 A. OKAY, I SEE THIS.

10:14AM 10 Q. OKAY. DO YOU SEE THE THERANOS LOGO AT THE TOP WHERE IT  
10:14AM 11 SAYS THERANOS REDEFINING HEALTH CARE?

10:14AM 12 A. I DO.

10:14AM 13 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE HEADING CONFIDENTIAL TO THE RIGHT?

10:14AM 14 A. I DO.

10:14AM 15 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THAT THERE ARE A NUMBER OF CONCLUSIONS  
10:14AM 16 LISTED?

10:14AM 17 AND IF WE COULD ZOOM OUT, MS. HOLLIMAN, SO WE CAN SEE  
10:14AM 18 THERE ARE A NUMBER OF CONCLUSIONS LISTED HERE.

10:14AM 19 DO YOU SEE THAT?

10:14AM 20 A. YES, I DO.

10:14AM 21 Q. LET ME DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO NUMBER 1.

10:14AM 22 DO YOU SEE WHERE IT SAYS, "THE THERANOS SYSTEM PERFORMED  
10:14AM 23 WITH SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE TO REFERENCE ASSAYS WHILE RUNNING IN  
10:14AM 24 A COMPLEX AMBULATORY ENVIRONMENT."

10:15AM 25 DO YOU SEE THAT?

11:00AM 1 THESE REPORTS ARE FROM GLAXOSMITHKLINE, PFIZER, AND  
11:00AM 2 SCHERING-PLOUGH, AFTER THEIR OWN TECHNICAL VALIDATION AND  
11:00AM 3 EXPERIENCE WITH THERANOS SYSTEMS IN THE FIELD."

11:00AM 4 DO YOU SEE THAT LANGUAGE?

11:00AM 5 A. I DO SEE THAT.

11:00AM 6 Q. LET ME DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO PAGE 8 OF THIS DOCUMENT.

11:01AM 7 IF WE CAN ZOOM IN ON THE TOP HALF ALL OF THE WAY DOWN TO  
11:01AM 8 THE CONCLUSIONS, MS. HOLLIMAN.

11:01AM 9 DO YOU SEE THE PFIZER LOGO UP IN THE LEFT-HAND CORNER;  
11:01AM 10 MR. WEBER?

11:01AM 11 A. I DO.

11:01AM 12 Q. DO YOU SEE THE THERANOS REDEFINING HEALTH CARE ON THE  
11:01AM 13 RIGHT?

11:01AM 14 A. I DO.

11:01AM 15 Q. AND DO YOU SEE WHERE IT SAYS THERANOS ANGIOGENESIS STUDY  
11:01AM 16 REPORT?

11:01AM 17 A. I DO.

11:01AM 18 Q. AND THEN THERE'S THE WORD PFIZER, INC. BENEATH THAT?

11:01AM 19 A. I DO.

11:01AM 20 Q. AND I'D LIKE TO NOW COMPARE THIS TO PAGE 3 OF EXHIBIT 143.

11:01AM 21 IF WE'RE ABLE TO SPLIT THE SCREEN, MS. HOLLIMAN?

11:02AM 22 ARE YOU ABLE TO SEE THAT ON THE SCREEN, MR. WEBER?

11:02AM 23 A. YES, I DO SEE THE TWO PAGES.

11:02AM 24 Q. OKAY. PRIOR TO YOUR MEETINGS WITH THE GOVERNMENT, HAD YOU  
11:02AM 25 EVER SEEN A VERSION OF THE THERANOS ANGIOGENESIS STUDY REPORT

11:02AM 1 WITH THE PFIZER LOGO ON IT?

11:02AM 2 A. NO, I HAVE NOT SEEN THAT BEFORE EXCEPT FOR IN THE

11:02AM 3 INTERACTION WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

11:02AM 4 I HAVE NOT SEEN THIS BEFORE EXCEPT WITH THE INTERACTION

11:02AM 5 WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

11:02AM 6 Q. OKAY. DID YOU APPROVE USE OF THE PFIZER LOGO ON THE

11:02AM 7 DOCUMENT PROVIDED TO WALGREENS?

11:02AM 8 A. I DID NOT.

11:02AM 9 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DID ANYONE FROM PFIZER APPROVE USE OF

11:03AM 10 THE PFIZER LOGO ON THE DOCUMENT PROVIDED TO WALGREENS IN

11:03AM 11 EXHIBIT 29 -- EXHIBIT 291?

11:03AM 12 A. I'M NOT AWARE OF ANY PFIZER APPROVAL FOR THE USE OF THE

11:03AM 13 PFIZER TRADEMARKED LOGO ON THIS DOCUMENT.

11:03AM 14 Q. OKAY. DOES IT DISAPPOINT YOU TO SEE THE PFIZER LOGO

11:03AM 15 APPLIED TO THIS?

11:03AM 16 MR. CLINE: EXCUSE ME, YOUR HONOR. OBJECTION TO

11:03AM 17 WHAT HE'S TALKING ABOUT.

11:03AM 18 THE COURT: SUSTAINED. SUSTAINED.

11:03AM 19 BY MR. LEACH:

11:03AM 20 Q. DID YOU APPROVE USING THE PFIZER LOGO ON ANY VERSION OF

11:03AM 21 THE THERANOS ANGIOGENESIS STUDY REPORT?

11:03AM 22 A. I DID NOT.

11:03AM 23 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DID ANYBODY FROM PFIZER?

11:03AM 24 A. NOT THAT I'M AWARE OF.

11:03AM 25 Q. WOULD YOU HAVE APPROVED USING THE PFIZER LOGO ON THE



11:03AM 1 THERANOS ANGIOGENESIS STUDY REPORT?

11:03AM 2 A. I WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO APPROVE THE USE OF A PFIZER LOGO ON  
11:03AM 3 AN EXTERNAL DOCUMENT OF ANOTHER COMPANY. THAT IS THE PURVIEW  
11:04AM 4 OF PFIZER LEGAL AND TRADEMARK.

11:04AM 5 Q. WOULD IT BE FAIR TO SAY, IN 2010 OR AFTER, THAT PFIZER  
11:04AM 6 ENDORSED THERANOS'S TECHNOLOGY?

11:04AM 7 A. NO.

11:04AM 8 Q. WOULD IT BE FAIR TO SAY, IN 2010 OR AFTER, THAT PFIZER  
11:04AM 9 COMPREHENSIVELY VALIDATED THERANOS'S TECHNOLOGY?

11:04AM 10 A. NO.

11:04AM 11 Q. CAN WE PLEASE GO TO PAGE 33 OF EXHIBIT 271, OR 291,  
11:04AM 12 MS. HOLLIMAN.

11:04AM 13 AND IF WE CAN ZOOM IN ALL OF THE WAY DOWN TO CONCLUSION  
11:04AM 14 NUMBER 10.

11:04AM 15 MR. WEBER, I'M DISPLAYING PAGE 33 OF EXHIBIT 291.

11:05AM 16 AND DO YOU HAVE THAT IN FRONT OF YOU?

11:05AM 17 A. I DO.

11:05AM 18 Q. OKAY. AND DO YOU SEE THE PFIZER LOGO UP AT THE TOP OF THE  
11:05AM 19 PAGE?

11:05AM 20 A. I DO.

11:05AM 21 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE THERANOS LOGO TO THE RIGHT?

11:05AM 22 A. I DO.

11:05AM 23 Q. AND DO YOU SEE A NUMBER OF CONCLUSIONS THAT ARE LISTED IN  
11:05AM 24 THIS DOCUMENT?

11:05AM 25 A. I DO.

11:05AM 1 Q. OKAY. DID YOU APPROVE USE OF THE PFIZER LOGO ON THIS PAGE  
11:05AM 2 OF THE DOCUMENT PROVIDED TO WALGREENS?

11:05AM 3 A. NO, I DID NOT.

11:05AM 4 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DID ANYONE FROM PFIZER DO THAT?

11:05AM 5 A. NOT THAT I'M AWARE OF.

11:05AM 6 Q. OKAY. THIS SAYS -- THE FIRST CONCLUSION, "THE THERANOS  
11:05AM 7 SYSTEM PERFORMED WITH SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE TO REFERENCE ASSAYS  
11:05AM 8 WHILE RUNNING IN A COMPLEX AMBULATORY ENVIRONMENT."

11:05AM 9 DO YOU SEE THAT?

11:05AM 10 A. I DO.

11:05AM 11 Q. AND DO YOU AGREE WITH THAT?

11:05AM 12 A. NO, I DO NOT.

11:05AM 13 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DID ANYONE FROM PFIZER AGREE WITH THAT?

11:06AM 14 A. NOT THAT I'M AWARE OF THAT.

11:06AM 15 MR. CLINE: EXCUSE ME, YOUR HONOR. I APOLOGIZE FOR  
11:06AM 16 INTERRUPTING, MR. WEBER.

11:06AM 17 I THINK -- ASSUMING WE'RE GOING TO GO THROUGH THE WHOLE  
11:06AM 18 LIST HERE, THIS IS 702 TERRITORY AND I OBJECT ON THAT BASIS.

11:06AM 19 THE COURT: IS THE QUESTION GOING TO BE SIMILAR TO  
11:06AM 20 THE ONE THAT YOU JUST ASKED, WHETHER OR NOT HE APPROVED IT OR  
11:06AM 21 WHETHER --

11:06AM 22 MR. LEACH: OR WHETHER OR NOT IT WAS HIS CONCLUSION,  
11:06AM 23 HIS THOUGHTS AT THE TIME.

11:06AM 24 THE COURT: RIGHT. RIGHT.

11:06AM 25 NO, HE CAN TESTIFY ABOUT THAT.

11:06AM 1 THE OBJECTION IS OVERRULED ON 702 GROUNDS.

11:06AM 2 BY MR. LEACH:

11:06AM 3 Q. DID YOU AGREE WITH THAT AT THE TIME, MR. WEBER, CONCLUSION  
11:06AM 4 NUMBER 1?

11:06AM 5 A. NO, I DID NOT AGREE WITH THIS CONCLUSION.

11:06AM 6 Q. OKAY. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DID ANYONE FROM PFIZER -- DID  
11:06AM 7 ANYONE FROM PFIZER TELL YOU THAT THEY AGREED WITH THAT  
11:06AM 8 CONCLUSION?

11:06AM 9 A. NO ONE FROM PFIZER TOLD ME THAT THEY AGREED WITH THIS  
11:06AM 10 CONCLUSION AS I REMEMBER IT.

11:07AM 11 Q. OKAY. DID YOU EVER TELL ANYONE FROM THERANOS THAT THIS  
11:07AM 12 WAS PFIZER'S CONCLUSION AFTER REVIEWING THERANOS'S TECHNOLOGY?

11:07AM 13 A. NO, I DID NOT.

11:07AM 14 Q. LET ME DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO NUMBER 5.

11:07AM 15 DO YOU SEE WHERE IT SAYS, "INTER-SYSTEM ACCURACY IS  
11:07AM 16 EXCELLENT AND WAS DEMONSTRATED ON A PLATFORM WITH SUPERIOR  
11:07AM 17 PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS TO REFERENCE METHODS."

11:07AM 18 DO YOU SEE THAT?

11:07AM 19 A. I DO.

11:07AM 20 Q. AND WAS THAT YOUR CONCLUSION?

11:07AM 21 A. NO, IT WAS NOT.

11:07AM 22 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, WAS THAT THE CONCLUSION OF ANYBODY AT  
11:07AM 23 PFIZER?

11:07AM 24 A. NOT THAT I'M AWARE OF. I'M NOT AWARE OF ANYONE AT PFIZER  
11:07AM 25 THAT AGREED WITH THIS CONCLUSION, OR WOULD.

11:07AM 1 Q. DID YOU EVER TELL SOMEBODY AT THERANOS THAT THIS WAS  
11:07AM 2 PFIZER'S CONCLUSION?

11:07AM 3 A. NO, I DID NOT.

11:07AM 4 Q. ARE ANY OF THE CONCLUSIONS LISTED ON PAGE 29 CONCLUSIONS  
11:07AM 5 THAT YOU HAD REACHED AFTER YOUR REVIEW OF THERANOS'S  
11:07AM 6 TECHNOLOGY?

11:07AM 7 A. NO, THEY ARE NOT.

11:08AM 8 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, AFTER 2010 DID PFIZER DO ANY WORK,  
11:08AM 9 REVENUE GENERATING WORK WITH THERANOS?

11:08AM 10 A. I'M NOT AWARE OF ANY REVENUE GENERATING WORK BY THERANOS  
11:08AM 11 WITH PFIZER AT THAT TIME.

11:08AM 12 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, AFTER THIS ANGIOGENESIS PROGRAM, DID  
11:08AM 13 THERANOS -- OR PFIZER PAY ANY MONEY TO THERANOS?

11:08AM 14 A. I'M NOT AWARE OF ANY MONIES BEING PAID TO THERANOS OTHER  
11:08AM 15 THAN FOR THAT ANGIOGENESIS STUDY.

11:08AM 16 Q. THE ANGIOGENESIS STUDY THAT YOU WERE REVIEWING IN LATE  
11:08AM 17 2008 AND THE EARLY PART OF 2009?

11:08AM 18 A. YES.

11:08AM 19 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DID PFIZER AND THERANOS HAVE ANY  
11:08AM 20 MEANINGFUL BUSINESS DEALINGS AFTER 2008?

11:08AM 21 A. TO MY AWARENESS AND -- THERE WAS NO FURTHER INTERACTION IN  
11:09AM 22 ANY MEANINGFUL WAY BETWEEN THERANOS AND PFIZER.

11:09AM 23 Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH THE STATEMENT THAT PFIZER VALIDATED  
11:09AM 24 THERANOS'S TECHNOLOGY?

11:09AM 25 A. NO, I DO NOT.

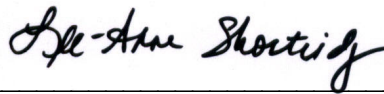
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11:46AM 1 THAT THIS POWERPOINT REFERRED YOU TO?

11:46AM 2 A. YES.

11:46AM 3 Q. AND DID YOU MAKE AN EFFORT TO REVIEW WHATEVER PUBLIC

11:46AM 4 INFORMATION YOU COULD FIND ABOUT THERANOS?

11:46AM 5 A. YES.

11:46AM 6 Q. LET ME DRAW YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE, TO PAGE 103 OF THIS

11:47AM 7 DOCUMENT.

11:47AM 8 IS THIS A PORTION OF THE MATERIALS IN THE BINDER THAT YOU

11:47AM 9 REVIEWED, MS. PETERSON?

11:47AM 10 A. YES.

11:47AM 11 Q. OKAY. AND DO YOU SEE WHERE IT SAYS, "EXEMPLARY REPORTS

11:47AM 12 FROM PHARMACEUTICAL PARTNERS"?

11:47AM 13 A. YES.

11:47AM 14 Q. PLEASE LOOK AT THE NEXT PAGE, PAGE 140, OR 104.

11:47AM 15 AND IF WE CAN ZOOM IN, MS. HOLLIMAN, ON EVERYTHING DOWN TO

11:47AM 16 THE WORD "CONCLUSIONS" AND THE THREE BULLETS. THERE YOU GO.

11:47AM 17 THANK YOU.

11:47AM 18 DOES THIS APPEAR TO BE SOMETHING CALLED "THERANOS

11:47AM 19 ANGIOGENESIS STUDY REPORT"?

11:47AM 20 A. YES.

11:47AM 21 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE PFIZER LOGO UP IN THE LEFT-HAND CORNER?

11:47AM 22 A. YES.

11:47AM 23 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE THERANOS LOGO IN THE RIGHT-HAND CORNER?

11:48AM 24 A. YES.

11:48AM 25 Q. OKAY. DID YOU BELIEVE THIS REPORT WAS PREPARED BY PFIZER?

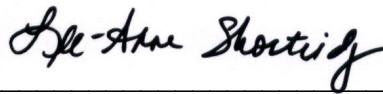
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12:22PM 1 A. BECAUSE SCHERING-PLOUGH HAD PAID \$279,000 FOR THIS WORK.  
12:22PM 2 WE HAD EXPECTED TO RECEIVE IT AT THAT MAY DUE DILIGENCE  
12:22PM 3 MEETING, AND WE DID NOT.

12:22PM 4 Q. ABOVE THIS EMAIL, MR. FRENZEL FORWARDS IT TO MS. HOLMES.  
12:22PM 5 DO YOU SEE THAT, FORWARDS YOUR EMAIL TO MS. HOLMES?

12:22PM 6 A. YES.

12:22PM 7 Q. IF YOU'LL NOW TURN TO TAB 259.

12:22PM 8 YOUR HONOR, THE GOVERNMENT OFFERS 259 PURSUANT TO  
12:22PM 9 STIPULATION.

12:22PM 10 MR. CLINE: NO OBJECTION.

12:22PM 11 THE COURT: IT'S ADMITTED. IT MAY BE PUBLISHED.

12:22PM 12 (GOVERNMENT'S EXHIBIT 259 WAS RECEIVED IN EVIDENCE.)

12:22PM 13 BY MR. SCHENK:

12:22PM 14 Q. THE FIRST DOCUMENT IN 259 AT THE BOTTOM APPEARS TO BE AN  
12:22PM 15 EMAIL FROM MR. FRENZEL TO YOU.

12:23PM 16 DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:23PM 17 A. YES.

12:23PM 18 Q. AND LET ME NOTE THAT THIS IS NOW IN DECEMBER. THE EMAIL  
12:23PM 19 THAT WE WERE JUST TALKING ABOUT WAS IN JUNE; IS THAT RIGHT?

12:23PM 20 A. THAT'S RIGHT.

12:23PM 21 Q. SO ABOUT SIX MONTHS LATER, MR. FRENZEL WRITES, "HI  
12:23PM 22 CONNIE."

12:23PM 23 THE SUBJECT WAS VALIDATION REPORT?

12:23PM 24 A. UH-HUH.

12:23PM 25 Q. WAS THAT A YES?

12:23PM 1

A. YES.

12:23PM 2

Q. "HI CONNIE, I WAS ASKED TO SEND THIS REPORT ON TO YOU, AND IF YOU CAN FORWARD TO THE PROPER PEOPLE. AFTER YOU AND YOUR GROUP HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO GO THROUGH IT, LET US KNOW IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ARRANGE A PHONE CONFERENCE TO DISCUSS THE RESULTS."

12:23PM 6

12:23PM 7

DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:23PM 8

A. I DO.

12:23PM 9

Q. AND THEN ABOVE THIS EMAIL, MR. FRENZEL FORWARDS IT ALMOST TWO MONTHS LATER, THE END OF JANUARY 2010, TO SOMEONE NAMED DENNIS YAM.

12:23PM 10

12:23PM 11

12:23PM 12

DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:23PM 13

A. YES.

12:23PM 14

Q. LET'S GO NOW TO THE ATTACHMENT. LET'S START ON PAGE 3.

12:23PM 15

WHAT IS THIS DOCUMENT? WHAT ARE WE LOOKING AT?

12:23PM 16

A. SO THIS WAS THE VALIDATION REPORT THAT THERANOS HAD PROVIDED.

12:23PM 17

12:23PM 18

Q. OKAY. THE REPORT THAT YOU MENTIONED EXPECTING TO SEE IN MAY AND WRITING ABOUT IN JUNE?

12:24PM 19

12:24PM 20

A. CORRECT.

12:24PM 21

Q. OKAY. AND ON THIS PAGE, IF WE COULD ZOOM OUT, IN THE UPPER LEFT CORNER, DO YOU SEE THERANOS'S LOGO?

12:24PM 22

12:24PM 23

A. I DO.

12:24PM 24

Q. IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER, DO YOU SEE A SCHERING-PLOUGH LOGO?

12:24PM 25

12:24PM 1 A. I DO NOT.

12:24PM 2 Q. IF WE COULD NOW TURN TO PAGE 5. THERE IS DATA ON PAGE 5.

12:24PM 3 DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:24PM 4 A. YES.

12:24PM 5 Q. AND IS THIS SCHERING-PLOUGH DATA?

12:24PM 6 A. NO.

12:24PM 7 Q. WHO GENERATED THIS DATA?

12:24PM 8 A. THERANOS.

12:24PM 9 Q. ON PAGE 19, IF YOU'LL TURN TO PAGE 19, THERE'S A SECTION

12:24PM 10 ENTITLED CONCLUSIONS.

12:24PM 11 DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:24PM 12 A. I DO.

12:24PM 13 Q. AND WHOSE CONCLUSIONS ARE THESE?

12:24PM 14 A. THOSE WOULD HAVE BEEN THERANOS'S CONCLUSIONS SINCE THEY

12:24PM 15 WROTE THE REPORT.

12:24PM 16 Q. DID -- LET ME FOCUS YOUR ATTENTION ON THE VERY FIRST

12:24PM 17 SENTENCE OF THE CONCLUSIONS. IT READS, "THE THERANOS'S IL-6,

12:25PM 18 TNF-A, AND CRP ASSAY MULTIPLEX HAS BEEN SHOWN TO GIVE ACCURATE

12:25PM 19 AND PRECISE RESULTS FOR THREE INDEPENDENTLY CALIBRATED

12:25PM 20 CARTRIDGE LOTS AND ALL THE MANY INSTRUMENTS USED."

12:25PM 21 IS THAT A CONCLUSION THAT YOU REACHED?

12:25PM 22 A. NO.

12:25PM 23 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, IS THAT A CONCLUSION THAT ANYBODY AT

12:25PM 24 SCHERING-PLOUGH REACHED?

12:25PM 25 A. NO.

12:25PM 1 Q. WHEN YOU RECEIVED THIS DOCUMENT, YOU SAW THAT THE FIRST  
12:25PM 2 PAGE OF THIS EXHIBIT WAS MR. FRENZEL SENDING THIS TO YOU IN  
12:25PM 3 DECEMBER, DID YOU WRITE HIM BACK AND SAY, I AGREE WITH THESE  
12:25PM 4 CONCLUSIONS?

12:25PM 5 A. NO.

12:25PM 6 Q. WAS THERE EVER AN OCCASION WHEN YOU SAID THESE CONCLUSIONS  
12:25PM 7 ARE ACCURATE?

12:25PM 8 A. NO.

12:25PM 9 Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, WAS THERE EVER AN OCCASION WHEN ANYBODY  
12:25PM 10 AT SCHERING-PLOUGH SAID THIS DOCUMENT OR THESE CONCLUSIONS ARE  
12:25PM 11 ACCURATE?

12:25PM 12 A. NO.

12:25PM 13 Q. WOULD YOU NOW TURN TO PAGE 262? I'M SORRY, EXHIBIT 262.  
12:26PM 14 YOUR HONOR, THE GOVERNMENT OFFERS 262 TO PURSUANT TO  
12:26PM 15 STIPULATION.

12:26PM 16 MR. CLINE: NO OBJECTION.

12:26PM 17 THE COURT: IT'S ADMITTED. IT MAY BE PUBLISHED.

12:26PM 18 (GOVERNMENT'S EXHIBIT 262 WAS RECEIVED IN EVIDENCE.)

12:26PM 19 BY MR. SCHENK:

12:26PM 20 Q. YOU'LL SEE THIS IS A CONTINUATION OF A PRIOR EMAIL CHAIN.  
12:26PM 21 IF YOU START ON THE PAGE 2, THERE IS THAT EMAIL FROM  
12:26PM 22 MR. FRENZEL TO YOU IN DECEMBER WITH A VALIDATION REPORT.

12:26PM 23 DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:26PM 24 A. YES.

12:26PM 25 Q. AND NOW IF WE COME BACK TO THE FIRST PAGE OF THIS EXHIBIT

12:29PM 1 WOULD YOU CALL THAT SCHERING-PLOUGH'S OWN TECHNICAL VALIDATION?

12:29PM 2 A. NO.

12:29PM 3 Q. WE ALSO HAVE TALKED ABOUT SOME BETA TESTING. WOULD YOU

12:29PM 4 DESCRIBE FOR THE JURY WHAT THAT WAS?

12:29PM 5 A. YES. BETA TESTING WAS WE HAD TWO INSTRUMENTS IN THE

12:29PM 6 LABORATORY AND WE HAD A VOLUNTEER FROM THE LAB PROVIDE A BLOOD

12:29PM 7 SAMPLE AND WE MEASURED C REACTIVE PROTEIN.

12:29PM 8 TO MY RECOLLECTION IT WAS A SINGLE DETERMINATION.

12:29PM 9 Q. WHAT DOES THAT MEAN, A SINGLE DETERMINATION?

12:29PM 10 A. IT MEANS WE TESTED ONE SAMPLE ONCE.

12:29PM 11 Q. THE PHRASE IN THIS EMAIL THAT I HIGHLIGHTED FOR YOU,

12:29PM 12 SCHERING-PLOUGH'S OWN TECHNICAL VALIDATION, YOU SAID THAT WOULD

12:29PM 13 NOT BE ACCURATE FOR THE REPORT, THE VALIDATION REPORT?

12:29PM 14 A. THAT IS CORRECT.

12:29PM 15 Q. WOULD THAT BE ACCURATE FOR THE BETA TESTING?

12:30PM 16 A. NO, IT WOULD NOT.

12:30PM 17 Q. WHY?

12:30PM 18 A. TOO FEW SAMPLES, NO PROTOCOL WITH PREDEFINED ACCEPTANCE

12:30PM 19 CRITERIA.

12:30PM 20 Q. IF YOU'LL TURN TO IN EXHIBIT 291, PAGE 34 OF THE EXHIBIT.

12:30PM 21 DO YOU SEE A COPY OF THE THERANOS MULTIPLEXED VALIDATION

12:30PM 22 AND A REFERENCE AGAIN TO IL-6, TNF-ALPHA, AND CRP?

12:30PM 23 A. I DO.

12:30PM 24 Q. AND AGAIN, IS THIS THE VALIDATION REPORT THAT YOU HAVE

12:30PM 25 TESTIFIED ABOUT PREVIOUSLY FROM TODAY?

12:30PM

1

A. YES.

12:30PM

2

Q. AND IN THE UPPER LEFT-HAND CORNER, WHAT DO YOU SEE?

12:30PM

3

A. I SEE THE SCHERING-PLOUGH LOGO.

12:30PM

4

Q. OKAY.

12:30PM

5

IF I COULD, MS. HOLLIMAN, IF IT'S POSSIBLE IF WE COULD

12:30PM

6

BRING UP 259, PAGE 3, AND EXHIBIT 291, PAGE 34 AT THE SAME

12:31PM

7

TIME.

12:31PM

8

THE DOCUMENT ON THE LEFT, DR. CULLEN, IS 259, PAGE 3.

12:31PM

9

IS THAT THE VERSION THAT WAS EMAILED TO YOU BY

12:31PM

10

MR. FRENZEL?

12:31PM

11

A. YES.

12:31PM

12

Q. AND WHAT I'M SHOWING ON THE RIGHT, IS THAT A VERSION THAT

12:31PM

13

WAS SENT AT LEAST IN THE EMAIL TO WALGREENS?

12:31PM

14

A. I DON'T KNOW WHAT DOCUMENT WOULD HAVE BEEN SENT TO

12:31PM

15

WALGREENS.

12:31PM

16

Q. IN EXHIBIT 291 THAT I'VE SHOWED YOU, THOUGH, IS THAT --

12:31PM

17

A. YES, YES.

12:31PM

18

Q. -- IT IS THAT SAME DOCUMENT; IS THAT RIGHT?

12:31PM

19

A. YES.

12:31PM

20

Q. AND MS. HOLLIMAN, IF WE COULD ALSO BRING UP 259, PAGE 19,

12:31PM

21

AND 291, PAGE 51.

12:31PM

22

DR. CULLEN, A MOMENT AGO I READ FOR YOU THE CONCLUSION

12:31PM

23

SECTION IN THE VALIDATION REPORT THAT WAS SENT TO

12:32PM

24

SCHERING-PLOUGH.

12:32PM

25

DO YOU RECALL THAT?

12:32PM 1

A. YES.

12:32PM 2

Q. AND THAT'S APPEARING NOW AT THE TOP OF THE SCREEN, THAT

12:32PM 3

THE THERANOS MULTIPLEXED ASSAYS WERE SHOWN TO GIVE ACCURATE AND

12:32PM 4

PRECISE RESULTS FOR THREE INDEPENDENTLY CALIBRATED CARTRIDGE

12:32PM 5

LOTS.

12:32PM 6

DO YOU SEE THAT?

12:32PM 7

A. YES.

12:32PM 8

Q. AND I THINK YOU TOLD US THAT WAS NOT A SCHERING-PLOUGH

12:32PM 9

CONCLUSION; IS THAT RIGHT?

12:32PM 10

A. THAT IS CORRECT.

12:32PM 11

Q. AND IN EXHIBIT 291, THE VERSION THAT WAS ATTACHED TO THE

12:32PM 12

WALGREENS EMAIL, THE FIRST SENTENCE OF THE CONCLUSIONS NOW

12:32PM 13

READS, "THE THERANOS IL-6, TNF-ALPHA, CRP ASSAYS MULTIPLEX HAS

12:32PM 14

BEEN SHOWN TO GIVE MORE ACCURATE AND PRECISE RESULTS FOR THREE

12:32PM 15

INDEPENDENTLY CALIBRATED CARTRIDGE LOTS AND ALL OF THE MANY

12:32PM 16

INSTRUMENTS USED THAN CURRENT 'GOLD STANDARD' REFERENCE

12:32PM 17

METHODS."

12:32PM 18

DID I READ THAT RIGHT?

12:32PM 19

A. YES.

12:32PM 20

Q. IT MAY GO WITHOUT SAYING, BUT YOU DID NOT APPROVE THE

12:32PM 21

VERSION ON TOP, THE ONE THAT WAS SENT TO YOU; IS THAT CORRECT?

12:33PM 22

A. THAT'S CORRECT.

12:33PM 23

Q. AND THE ENHANCED CONCLUSION, IS THAT SOMETHING THAT YOU

12:33PM 24

WOULD AGREE WITH?

12:33PM 25

A. NO.



12:33PM 1 Q. IS THAT SOMETHING THAT, TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, ANYBODY FROM  
12:33PM 2 SCHERING-PLOUGH AGREED WITH?

12:33PM 3 A. NO.

12:33PM 4 MR. SCHENK: YOUR HONOR, MAY I HAVE ONE MOMENT?

12:33PM 5 THE COURT: YES.

12:33PM 6 (DISCUSSION AMONGST GOVERNMENT COUNSEL OFF THE RECORD.)

12:33PM 7 MR. SCHENK: THANK YOU. NO FURTHER QUESTIONS.

12:33PM 8 THE COURT: MR. CLINE, DO YOU HAVE  
12:33PM 9 CROSS-EXAMINATION?

12:33PM 10 MR. CLINE: I DO.

12:33PM 11 **CROSS-EXAMINATION**

12:33PM 12 BY MR. CLINE:

12:33PM 13 Q. DR. CULLEN, GOOD AFTERNOON.

12:34PM 14 A. GOOD AFTERNOON.

12:34PM 15 Q. MY NAME IS JOHN CLINE AND I'M ONE OF THE LAWYERS FOR  
12:34PM 16 MS. HOLMES.

12:34PM 17 LET ME START BY TAKING CARE A LITTLE BIT OF ADMINISTRATIVE  
12:34PM 18 STUFF HERE.

12:34PM 19 YOUR HONOR, MAY I APPROACH THE WITNESS?

12:34PM 20 THE COURT: YES.

12:34PM 21 BY MR. CLINE:

12:34PM 22 Q. DR. CULLEN, I'M GOING TO HAND YOU ANOTHER BINDER --

12:34PM 23 A. OKAY.

12:34PM 24 Q. -- WHICH HAS SOME OTHER EXHIBITS IN IT THAT I WILL BE  
12:34PM 25 REFERRING YOU TO AS WE GO ALONG (HANDING.)

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09:44AM 1 Q. NOW, DURING THE COURSE OF THIS MEETING IN 2010 -- WHAT  
09:44AM 2 MONTH WAS THIS MEETING, IF YOU RECALL?

09:45AM 3 A. JUST LOOKING BACK AT THE EMAIL, I THINK IT WAS IN MARCH.  
09:45AM 4 END OF MARCH.

09:45AM 5 Q. NOW, DID WALGREENS EXPRESS AFTER THAT MEETING THAT THEY  
09:45AM 6 MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN EXPLORING A RELATIONSHIP WITH THERANOS?

09:45AM 7 A. YES.

09:45AM 8 Q. DID THEY ALSO EXPRESS TO THERANOS THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO  
09:45AM 9 DO SOME DUE DILIGENCE TO EVALUATE WHETHER THERANOS WAS A  
09:45AM 10 PARTNER WITH WHOM WALGREENS THOUGHT IT COULD WORK?

09:45AM 11 A. THEY DID.

09:45AM 12 Q. OKAY. NOW, I WANT TO FOCUS ON TWO REPORTS FROM  
09:45AM 13 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES THAT YOU SENT TO WALGREENS IN 2010.

09:45AM 14 DO YOU RECALL THAT THERE'S BEEN TESTIMONY ABOUT THOSE  
09:45AM 15 REPORTS?

09:45AM 16 A. I DO.

09:45AM 17 Q. ONE OF THOSE REPORTS WAS FROM SCHERING-PLOUGH; CORRECT?

09:46AM 18 A. YES.

09:46AM 19 Q. AND THE OTHER REPORT WAS FROM PFIZER; CORRECT?

09:46AM 20 A. YES.

09:46AM 21 Q. WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO SEND THE SCHERING-PLOUGH REPORT TO  
09:46AM 22 WALGREENS AS PART OF ITS DUE DILIGENCE?

09:46AM 23 A. BECAUSE WE HAD WORKED WITH SCHERING-PLOUGH TO ESTABLISH  
09:46AM 24 VERY RIGOROUS STANDARDS AGAINST WHICH TO VALIDATE OUR TESTS,  
09:46AM 25 AND WE HAD RUN THOUSANDS OF CARTRIDGES SHOWING NOT ONLY THAT WE

09:46AM 1 COULD MULTIPLEX THE TESTS ON A SINGLE CARTRIDGE, BUT ALSO THAT  
09:46AM 2 WE COULD MEASURE MARKERS AT REALLY LOW LEVELS THAT ARE REALLY  
09:46AM 3 HARD TO DO, AND I WANTED TO SHARE THAT DATA.

09:46AM 4 Q. WHEN YOU SAY "MULTIPLEX," WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

09:46AM 5 A. SORRY. THE ABILITY TO RUN THE SAME TESTS ON A SINGLE  
09:46AM 6 CARTRIDGE, OR MULTIPLE TESTS ON A SINGLE CARTRIDGE AT THE SAME  
09:46AM 7 TIME.

09:46AM 8 Q. OKAY. AND WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO SHARE THE PFIZER REPORT  
09:46AM 9 WITH WALGREENS AS PART OF ITS DUE DILIGENCE PROCESS?

09:46AM 10 A. BECAUSE, AGAIN, WE HAD WORKED WITH PFIZER FOR YEARS TO  
09:47AM 11 DEVELOP A STUDY THAT WOULD MEASURE THESE VERY COMPLICATED  
09:47AM 12 CANCER MARKERS IN PEOPLE'S HOMES, THE DEVICES WORKED, AND I  
09:47AM 13 THOUGHT THE DATA WAS REALLY GOOD, AND I WANTED TO SHARE IT WITH  
09:47AM 14 THEM.

09:47AM 15 Q. DO YOU RECALL THAT THERE HAS BEEN TESTIMONY TO THE EFFECT  
09:47AM 16 THAT THE LOGOS OF THOSE PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES WERE ADDED TO  
09:47AM 17 THE TOP OF THOSE DOCUMENTS?

09:47AM 18 A. I DO.

09:47AM 19 Q. AND WHO ADDED THE LOGOS OF THOSE COMPANIES TO THE TOP OF  
09:47AM 20 THOSE DOCUMENTS?

09:47AM 21 A. I DID.

09:47AM 22 Q. WHEN DID YOU DO THAT?

09:47AM 23 A. JUST BEFORE SENDING THEM TO WALGREENS.

09:47AM 24 Q. WHY DID YOU DO THAT?

09:47AM 25 A. BECAUSE THIS WORK WAS DONE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THOSE

09:47AM 1 COMPANIES, AND I WAS TRYING TO CONVEY THAT.

09:47AM 2 Q. YOU'VE HEARD TESTIMONY FROM WITNESSES IN THIS CASE THAT  
09:47AM 3 THEY THOUGHT THAT THE REPORTS THAT YOU SENT HAD BEEN PREPARED  
09:47AM 4 BY THOSE PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES.

09:47AM 5 DO YOU RECALL THAT?

09:47AM 6 A. I DO.

09:47AM 7 Q. DID YOU INTEND TO GIVE THAT IMPRESSION WHEN YOU  
09:47AM 8 TRANSMITTED THOSE REPORTS TO WALGREENS?

09:48AM 9 A. NO. BUT I'VE HEARD THAT TESTIMONY IN THIS CASE, AND I  
09:48AM 10 WISH I HAD DONE IT DIFFERENTLY.

09:48AM 11 Q. DID YOU -- AS OF 2010, SCHERING-PLOUGH NO LONGER EXISTED  
09:48AM 12 AS AN INDEPENDENT PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY; IS THAT RIGHT?

09:48AM 13 A. CORRECT.

09:48AM 14 Q. BUT PFIZER DID; RIGHT?

09:48AM 15 A. YES.

09:48AM 16 Q. DID YOU TRY TO CONCEAL FROM PFIZER THAT YOU HAD ADDED  
09:48AM 17 PFIZER'S LOGO TO THE TOP OF THE REPORT THAT YOU SENT TO  
09:48AM 18 WALGREENS IN 2010?

09:48AM 19 A. NOT AT ALL.

09:48AM 20 Q. LET ME ASK YOU TO LOOK AT EXHIBIT 15048.

09:48AM 21 YOUR HONOR, I'M NOT SURE IF THIS IS IN YOUR NOTEBOOK?

09:48AM 22 THE COURT: I DON'T BELIEVE IT IS.

09:48AM 23 MR. DOWNEY: BUT MR. LEACH HAS A COPY.

09:48AM 24 THE COURT: THANK YOU.

09:48AM 25 THE WITNESS: I DON'T KNOW IF I HAVE IT.

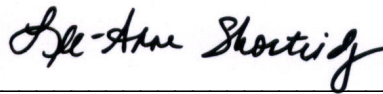
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03:16PM 1

Q. 259?

03:16PM 2

A. I THINK SO. I DON'T HAVE THEM IN FRONT OF ME, BUT I

03:16PM 3

ASSUME SO.

03:16PM 4

Q. OKAY. AND, MS. HOLLIMAN, IF WE COULD PLEASE ZOOM OUT.

03:16PM 5

THERE ARE SOME DIFFERENCES IN THE CONCLUSIONS PARAGRAPH OF

03:16PM 6

THIS -- OF THESE TWO DOCUMENTS.

03:16PM 7

DO YOU SEE HOW ON 291 IT SAYS, "THE THERANOS IL-6, TNF-A,

03:17PM 8

CRP ASSAY MULTIPLEX HAS BEEN SHOWN TO GIVE MORE ACCURATE AND

03:17PM 9

PRECISE RESULTS FOR THREE INDEPENDENTLY CALIBRATED CARTRIDGE

03:17PM 10

LOTS AND ALL OF THE MANY INSTRUMENTS USED THAN CURRENT 'GOLD

03:17PM 11

STANDARD' REFERENCE METHODS."

03:17PM 12

DO YOU SEE THAT LANGUAGE?

03:17PM 13

A. I DO.

03:17PM 14

Q. AND I PROBABLY DIDN'T READ THAT AS WELL AS I SHOULD HAVE.

03:17PM 15

BUT DO YOU SEE THAT LANGUAGE?

03:17PM 16

A. I DO.

03:17PM 17

Q. AND DO YOU SEE HOW THOSE WORDS, "GOLD STANDARD REFERENCE

03:17PM 18

METHODS," ARE NOT ON THE CONCLUSIONS IN THE REPORT THAT GOES TO

03:17PM 19

SCHERING-PLOUGH?

03:17PM 20

A. YES.

03:17PM 21

Q. DID YOU ADD THOSE WORDS?

03:17PM 22

A. I THINK SO.

03:17PM 23

Q. OKAY. AND YOU DIDN'T TESTIFY TO THAT IN YOUR DIRECT

03:17PM 24

EXAMINATION; IS THAT CORRECT?

03:17PM 25

A. I DON'T THINK SO.

03:17PM 1 Q. IS MAKING THE CHANGE TO THE CONCLUSIONS PARAGRAPH ALSO  
03:18PM 2 SOMETHING THAT YOU WISH YOU HAD DONE DIFFERENTLY?

03:18PM 3 A. I THINK THIS WAS ACCURATELY REFLECTING THE DATA IN THE  
03:18PM 4 DOCUMENT.

03:18PM 5 BUT, YES, I THINK THAT THE WAY THAT THESE REPORTS WERE  
03:18PM 6 COMMUNICATED, I ABSOLUTELY WISH IT HAD BEEN BOLDED THAT THEY  
03:18PM 7 WERE WRITTEN BY US.

03:18PM 8 Q. LET'S TALK ABOUT GSK.

03:18PM 9 DO YOU RECALL TESTIFYING ABOUT GSK?

03:18PM 10 A. I DO.

03:18PM 11 Q. OKAY. AND IF WE COULD LOOK AT EXHIBIT 291, PAGE 2.

03:18PM 12 IS THIS ANOTHER ONE OF THE ATTACHMENTS THAT WENT TO  
03:18PM 13 WALGREENS?

03:18PM 14 A. YES.

03:18PM 15 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE GLAXOSMITHKLINE LOGO IN THE TOP LEFT  
03:19PM 16 PORTION OF THIS DOCUMENT?

03:19PM 17 A. I DO.

03:19PM 18 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE HEADING "EXCERPTS FROM GSK METABOLIC  
03:19PM 19 STUDY REPORT"?

03:19PM 20 A. I DO.

03:19PM 21 Q. NOW, GSK, UNLIKE SCHERING-PLOUGH AND PFIZER, GSK HAD  
03:19PM 22 PROVIDED TO THERANOS AN EMAIL TITLED "THERANOS EVALUATION."

03:19PM 23 YOU RECALL SEEING THAT?

03:19PM 24 A. I DO.

03:19PM 25 Q. AND THAT WAS FROM SOMEONE NAMED NELSON RHODES?

03:21PM 1 A. I DO, YES.

03:21PM 2 Q. AND THIS IS THE EMAIL THAT WE HAVE BEEN TALKING ABOUT FROM

03:21PM 3 NELSON RHODES AT GSK?

03:21PM 4 A. YES.

03:21PM 5 Q. AND IF WE COULD PLEASE GO TO PAGE 2.

03:21PM 6 AND IF WE CAN SPLIT THE SCREEN, MS. HOLLIMAN, WITH

03:21PM 7 EXHIBIT 291, PAGE 2.

03:21PM 8 DO YOU SEE ON THE LEFT SCREEN THE SECOND PAGE OF

03:21PM 9 EXHIBIT 112, MS. HOLMES?

03:21PM 10 A. I'M SORRY, WHICH ONE?

03:22PM 11 Q. ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE SCREEN --

03:22PM 12 A. YES.

03:22PM 13 Q. -- DO YOU SEE THE SECOND PAGE OF EXHIBIT 112?

03:22PM 14 A. I DO.

03:22PM 15 Q. OKAY. AND TO THE RIGHT IS THE SECOND PAGE OF EXHIBIT 291

03:22PM 16 AT PAGE 2?

03:22PM 17 A. YES.

03:22PM 18 Q. AND 291 IS THE DOCUMENT THAT GOES TO WALGREENS?

03:22PM 19 A. YES.

03:22PM 20 Q. OKAY. THERE'S A LOGO FOR GSK AT THE TOP LEFT OF 291.

03:22PM 21 DID YOU ADD THAT LOGO?

03:22PM 22 A. I ASSUME SO.

03:22PM 23 Q. AND DID YOU PROVIDE THE -- AND YOU PROVIDED THE DOCUMENT

03:22PM 24 IN 291 TO WALGREENS?

03:22PM 25 A. I DID.

03:22PM 1 Q. DID YOU RECEIVE ANY PERMISSION FROM GSK TO ADD THE LOGO?

03:22PM 2 A. I DON'T KNOW.

03:22PM 3 Q. AND YOU HAVE NO MEMORY OF RECEIVING ANY ORAL PERMISSION  
03:22PM 4 FROM GSK TO ADD THE LOGO?

03:22PM 5 A. I DON'T.

03:22PM 6 Q. AND YOU HAVE NO MEMORY OF ANY WRITTEN COMMUNICATION FROM  
03:23PM 7 GSK AUTHORIZING YOU TO ADD THE LOGO?

03:23PM 8 A. I DON'T.

03:23PM 9 Q. AND YOU DON'T HAVE A MEMORY OF TELLING ANYBODY FROM GSK  
03:23PM 10 THAT YOU HAD ALTERED THE DOCUMENT IN EXHIBIT 112?

03:23PM 11 A. I'M NOT SURE. THERE WAS A GSK EXECUTIVE THAT CAME IN TO  
03:23PM 12 WORK WITH US WHO WAS IN ACTUAL COMMUNICATION WITH THEM.

03:23PM 13 Q. BUT YOU DON'T HAVE A MEMORY OF HIM TELLING YOU TO AFFIX  
03:23PM 14 THE LOGO TO THIS AND DO WHAT YOU WILL TO IT?

03:23PM 15 A. NO.

03:23PM 16 Q. DID YOU TELL ANYBODY FROM GSK THAT YOU MIGHT BE PROVIDING  
03:23PM 17 EXCERPTS OF A METABOLIC STUDY REPORT TO INVESTORS?

03:23PM 18 A. WE MIGHT HAVE.

03:23PM 19 Q. BUT YOU DON'T HAVE A MEMORY OF IT?

03:23PM 20 A. I'M NOT SURE.

03:23PM 21 Q. IF YOU COMPARE EXHIBIT 112 AT PAGE 2 ON THE LEFT TO 291-2  
03:24PM 22 ON THE RIGHT, YOU'LL SEE THAT THE DATES ON MAY 27TH TO 28TH,  
03:24PM 23 2008 ARE NOT PRESENT ON THE DOCUMENT WITH THE GSK LOGO.

03:24PM 24 DO YOU SEE THAT?

03:24PM 25 A. I DO.

03:24PM 1 Q. DID YOU DELETE THOSE WORDS?

03:24PM 2 A. I DON'T KNOW.

03:24PM 3 Q. IS THE REASON THAT THOSE WORDS ARE DELETED IS BECAUSE IT  
03:24PM 4 MIGHT SUGGEST THE LIMITS OF GSK'S EVALUATION?

03:24PM 5 A. I DON'T THINK SO.

03:24PM 6 Q. YOU DON'T RECALL TESTIFYING ABOUT ADDING THE GSK LOGO  
03:24PM 7 DURING YOUR DIRECT EXAMINATION, DO YOU?

03:24PM 8 A. I DON'T THINK SO.

03:24PM 9 Q. AND THERANOS DID MORE THAN SIMPLY DELETE DATES HERE.

03:24PM 10 WHY DON'T -- CAN I DRAW YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE, TO THE  
03:25PM 11 BULLETS?

03:25PM 12 A. YES.

03:25PM 13 Q. IF WE COULD ZOOM OUT, MS. HOLLIMAN, AND GO TO PAGE 3 OF  
03:25PM 14 112.

03:25PM 15 DO YOU SEE IN 112 THERE'S A BULLET UNDER "GSK METABOLIC  
03:25PM 16 BIOMARKER LAB COMMENTS" THAT SAYS, "FINGER PRICK/BLOOD DRAW  
03:25PM 17 PROCEDURE WAS DIFFICULT (NEEDED LARGER LANCET AND BETTER  
03:25PM 18 SYRINGE SYSTEM) ."

03:25PM 19 DO YOU SEE THAT LANGUAGE?

03:25PM 20 A. I DO.

03:25PM 21 Q. AND THAT COMMENT IS DELETED FROM THE DOCUMENT THAT GOES TO  
03:25PM 22 WALGREENS; ISN'T THAT RIGHT?

03:25PM 23 A. I DON'T KNOW. I HAVEN'T LOOKED AT IT, BUT -- BUT I TAKE  
03:25PM 24 YOUR WORD FOR IT.

03:25PM 25 Q. DID YOU MAKE THAT DELETION?

03:26PM 1 A. I DON'T KNOW.

03:26PM 2 Q. OKAY. IF WE COULD ZOOM OUT, MS. HOLLIMAN, SO WE MIGHT --

03:26PM 3 DO YOU SEE HOW ON THE 291 UNDER "GSK METABOLIC BIOMARKER

03:26PM 4 LAB COMMENTS," THERE ARE THREE -- SIX BULLETS OR --

03:26PM 5 A. I DO.

03:26PM 6 Q. AND THE LAST ONE ENDS WITH "ASSAYS TOOK APPROXIMATELY ONE

03:26PM 7 HOUR."

03:26PM 8 A. YES.

03:26PM 9 Q. AND THE COMMENT ABOUT THE FINGER PRICK BEING DIFFICULT IS

03:26PM 10 NOT THERE; AM I RIGHT ABOUT THAT?

03:26PM 11 A. YOU ARE.

03:26PM 12 Q. AND YOU DON'T KNOW WHO AT THERANOS MADE THE CHANGE TO

03:26PM 13 THESE DOCUMENTS?

03:26PM 14 A. I DON'T.

03:26PM 15 Q. AND DID YOU EVER TELL ANYONE AT THERANOS THAT WE CAN'T

03:26PM 16 HAVE THE SLIGHTEST NEGATIVE COMMENT IN WHAT IS GOING OUT TO OUR

03:26PM 17 PARTNERS?

03:26PM 18 A. I DON'T THINK SO.

03:26PM 19 Q. AM I RIGHT THAT THE MEMO THAT DR. RHODES SENT YOU WAS

03:26PM 20 NEVER INTENDED FOR USE OUTSIDE OF GSK?

03:27PM 21 A. I DON'T KNOW.

03:27PM 22 Q. DIDN'T YOU UNDERSTAND THAT IT WAS A MEANS BY WHICH OTHER

03:27PM 23 UNITS WITHIN GSK MIGHT HAVE SOME INFORMATION ABOUT THERANOS?

03:27PM 24 A. I THINK THAT'S WHAT THE EVALUATION WAS FOR.

03:27PM 25 Q. OKAY. LET'S LOOK AT THE EMAIL.

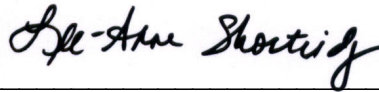
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11:15AM 1 THE USE OF THE PFIZER LOGO, LET'S TALK ABOUT THAT FOR A  
11:15AM 2 MOMENT.

11:15AM 3 THE DOCUMENT ON THE LEFT IS THE DOCUMENT THAT WAS SENT TO  
11:15AM 4 PFIZER. THE DOCUMENT ON THE RIGHT IS THE DOCUMENT THAT WAS  
11:15AM 5 SENT TO WALGREENS.

11:15AM 6 THE DOCUMENT ON THE LEFT IS THE DOCUMENT THAT WAS SENT TO  
11:15AM 7 SCHERING-PLOUGH. THE DOCUMENT ON THE RIGHT IS THE DOCUMENT  
11:15AM 8 THAT WAS SENT TO WALGREENS.

11:15AM 9 THE CONCLUSIONS IN THE SCHERING-PLOUGH DOCUMENT WERE  
11:15AM 10 ENHANCED. THE VERSION THAT WAS SENT TO SCHERING-PLOUGH IS THE  
11:16AM 11 ONE ON TOP.

11:16AM 12 THE VERSION THAT WAS SENT TO WALGREENS HAD ADDITIONAL  
11:16AM 13 LANGUAGE IN IT, THAT THE THERANOS TESTS WERE MORE ACCURATE THAN  
11:16AM 14 THE CURRENT GOLD STANDARD REFERENCE. SO IT WASN'T JUST ADDING  
11:16AM 15 THE LOGO, IT WAS ACTUALLY ALSO DOCTORING OR ENHANCING THE  
11:16AM 16 CONCLUSIONS IN THE REPORT.

11:16AM 17 AND NOW LOOK AT WHAT MS. HOLMES SAID TO WALGREENS ABOUT  
11:16AM 18 THESE REPORTS. MS. HOLMES TOLD YOU ON THE STAND THAT SHE  
11:16AM 19 APPLIED THE LOGOS TO THOSE DOCUMENTS, I THINK FROM THAT TO  
11:16AM 20 SUGGEST I NEVER WOULD HAVE INTENDED -- THOUGHT I WAS DEFRAUDING  
11:16AM 21 ANYBODY IF I HAD GIVEN IT BACK TO THE PHARMA COMPANIES.

11:16AM 22 FIRST, IT CERTAINLY ISN'T ON THE PHARMA COMPANIES TO  
11:16AM 23 DISCOVER THAT, TO REPORT IT BACK TO THERANOS, BUT IT ALSO  
11:16AM 24 MISSES THE POINT.

11:16AM 25 LOOK AT WHAT USE MS. HOLMES IS MAKING OF THESE DOCUMENTS.

11:16AM 1 SHE WRITES IN AN EMAIL TO WALGREENS, "ATTACHED PER OUR  
11:16AM 2 DISCUSSION PLEASE FIND THREE INDEPENDENT DUE DILIGENCE REPORTS  
11:17AM 3 ON THERANOS SYSTEMS ATTACHED TO THIS EMAIL. THESE REPORTS ARE  
11:17AM 4 FROM GLAXOSMITHKLINE, PFIZER, AND SCHERING-PLOUGH AFTER THEIR  
11:17AM 5 OWN TECHNICAL VALIDATION AND EXPERIENCE WITH THERANOS SYSTEMS  
11:17AM 6 IN THE FIELD."

11:17AM 7 SHE WANTS WALGREENS, AND THEN THESE WERE ALSO SENT TO  
11:17AM 8 PETERSON AND MOSLEY, TO CONCLUDE THAT THEY ARE INDEPENDENT DUE  
11:17AM 9 DILIGENCE REPORTS, THAT THE PHARMA COMPANIES PREPARED THE  
11:17AM 10 REPORTS AFTER THEIR OWN TECHNICAL VALIDATION.

11:17AM 11 DR. CULLEN TOLD YOU THAT FOR THE SCHERING-PLOUGH WORK, THE  
11:17AM 12 DEVICE WAS AT THERANOS; THAT THAT'S WHERE THE TESTING WAS DONE.  
11:17AM 13 SO NOT ONLY WERE THE CONCLUSIONS IN THE SCHERING-PLOUGH  
11:17AM 14 DOCUMENTS THERANOS'S, THEY COULD NOT HAVE BEEN  
11:17AM 15 SCHERING-PLOUGH'S, BECAUSE SCHERING-PLOUGH WASN'T THE ONE WHO  
11:17AM 16 DID THE WORK.

11:17AM 17 PETERSON RECEIVED THE PFIZER DOCUMENT. AND YOU KNOW  
11:18AM 18 MOSLEY RECEIVED THE PFIZER DOCUMENT ALSO.

11:18AM 19 THE USE OF THE MILITARY. THIS CHART -- I'M SORRY, USE OF  
11:18AM 20 THE MEDIA.

11:18AM 21 THIS CHART SHOWS YOU SORT OF THE THREE RELEVANT FACTS  
11:18AM 22 ABOUT EACH OF THE ARTICLES, "THE WALL STREET JOURNAL" AND THE  
11:18AM 23 PARLOFF.

11:18AM 24 AT THE TOP YOU SEE THERANOS EMAILING THE RAGO ARTICLE TO  
11:18AM 25 SHAREHOLDERS, AND THEN YOU SEE THE LOCATIONS AND EXHIBITS WHERE

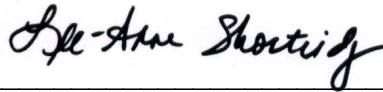
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## **Exhibit 2**

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[Theranos Evaluation Summary\\_GSK.pdf](#)  
[Pfizer Theranos System Validation\\_Final Report.pdf](#)  
[Theranos Multiplexed Panel Validation Report\\_Schering Plough.pdf](#)

Dr. Jay, Alex,

As per our discussion, please find three independent due diligence reports on Theranos Systems attached to this email. These reports are from GlaxoSmithKline, Pfizer, and Schering Plough after their own technical validation and experience with Theranos Systems in the field. Please note that these documents are strictly confidential under our CDA.

We met today on the request for names of persons who could come to Theranos to assess the technical performance of the systems; we will give you a call tomorrow to follow up on this.

We have a powerpoint summary of how Theranos Systems compare to other technologies in the market. Before sending, we tried to compare our presentation to the spreadsheet you referenced that lists different point of care technologies on Google, but we could not find the document you talked about. Please do send this to us so that we can add any relevant information from it to the presentation.

With my best regards,  
Elizabeth.

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### Excerpts from GSK Metabolic Study Report

Nelson Rhodes, Director GSK Metabolic Biomarker Laboratory  
 Surekha Gangakhedkar, Theranos Assay Systems Lead

#### Background information:

The Theranos system was evaluated at GSK to profile active GLP-1 and C-peptide values and these data were compared to “gold standard” ELISAs using frozen human plasma from study XXXXXXXX. The key project objectives (found in the attached statement of work) were:

- To assess the performance of the Theranos System in measuring a multiplex for GLP-1 and c-peptide values (the “Cartridge Analytes”) as compared to the current gold standard ELISAs (which are not multiplexed).
  - Specifically, the study will assess Theranos’ capabilities to detect points that the reference assays failed to accurately detect by running samples with C-peptide values in a standard range (ng/mL) and GLP-1 values between 0-3.2 pM
- To assess the functionality, specificity, reproducibility, accuracy, and precision of the Theranos System.
- Assess the Theranos data reporting and transfer functions

Thirty plasma samples (assayed in duplicate) were chosen based on historical GSK data for total GLP-1 levels from subjects given a mixed meal and two finger prick blood draws were performed. Five Theranos machines were used with active GLP-1 and C-peptide cartridges that required 20µL of plasma. MesoScale Discovery’s (MSD) active and total GLP-1, Linco (Millipore) active GLP-1, and Linco (Millipore) C-peptide ELISAs were run as comparator assays.

#### GSK Metabolic Biomarker Lab comments:

- Data show good correlation
  - $r^2 = 0.90$  for GLP-1 (MSD vs. Theranos)
  - $r^2 = 0.96$  for C-peptide (Linco vs. Theranos)
- Inter-instrument precision (RLU average %CV = 11)
- Machines worked well
- Touch-screen interface was easy to use
- Cartridges were pretty straight forward (easy to handle and load)
- Assays took approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes per cartridge

#### Overall conclusions:

- The Theranos system eliminates the need for a lab and provided quality data
- The Metabolic Biomarker Lab has a favorable impression of the technology/system and recommends GSK clinical groups to work with Theranos

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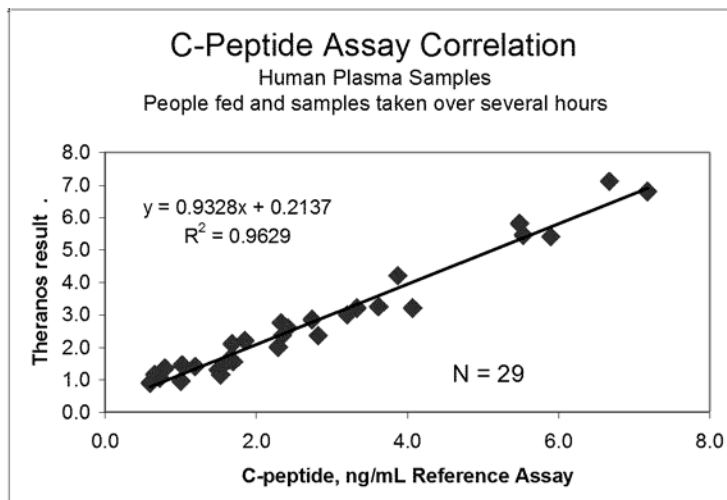
## Study design

- Human subjects
- Food “challenge”
- Measure GLP-1 and C-Peptide multiplex over 5 time points
  - LincoAssay
  - MSD Assay
  - Theranos Assay

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## C-Peptide Assay

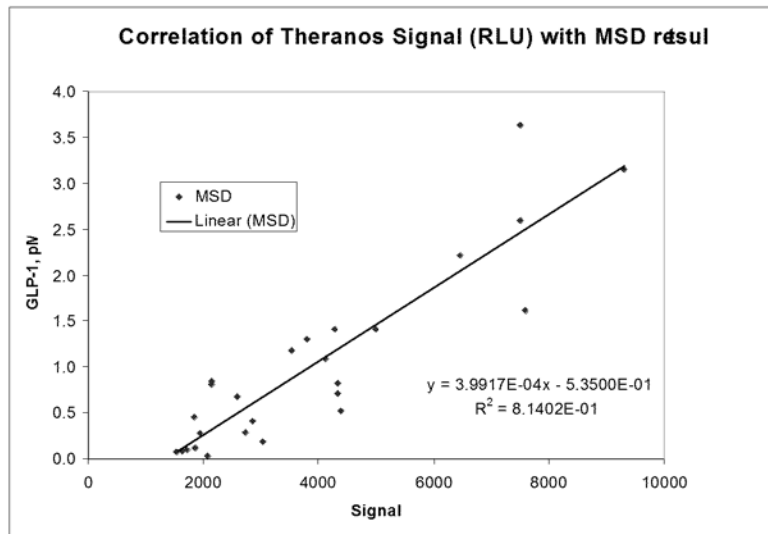
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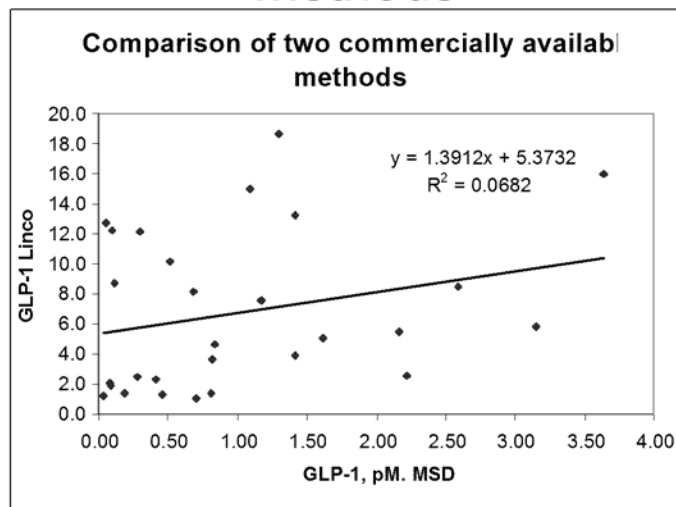
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## Calibration to GSK matrix



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## Lack of correlation of predicate methods

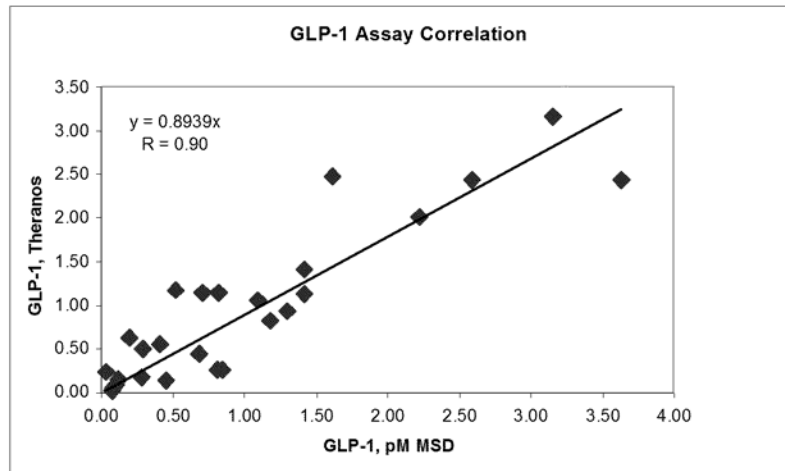


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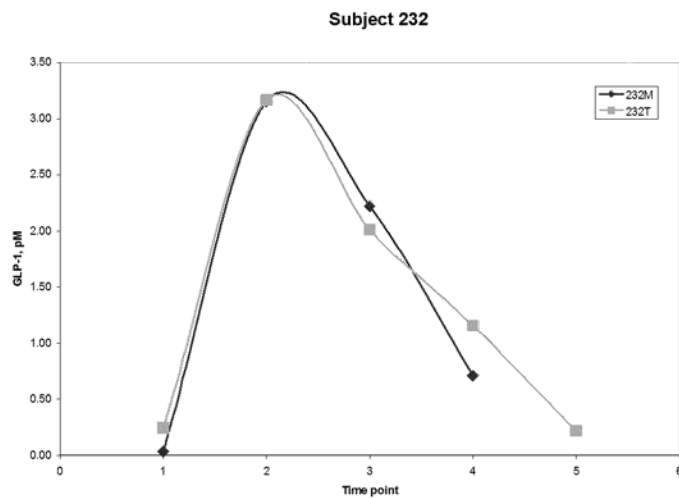
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## Assay correlation



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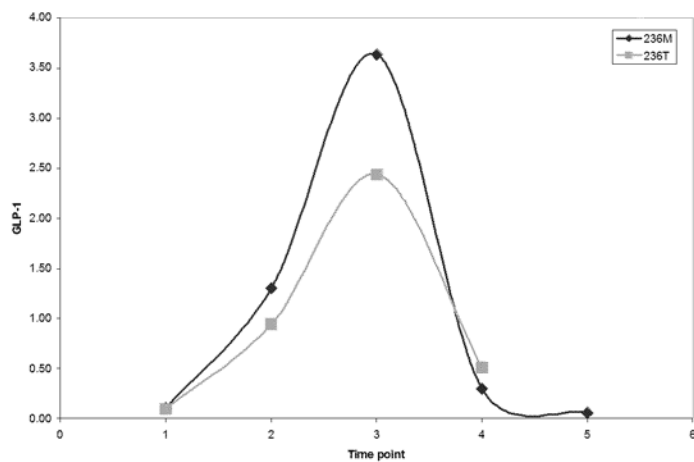


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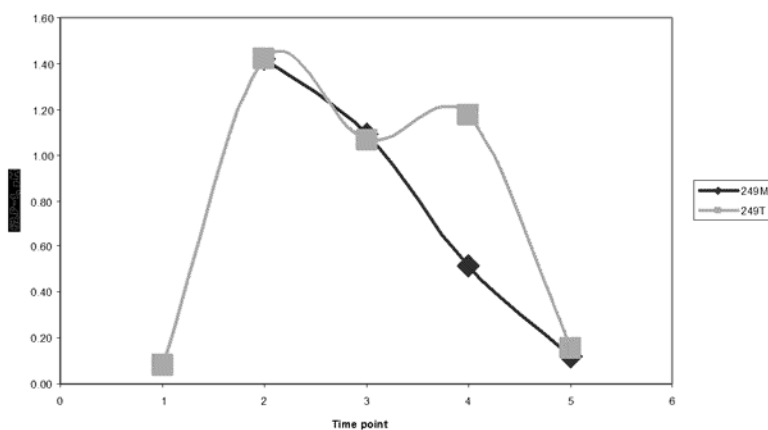
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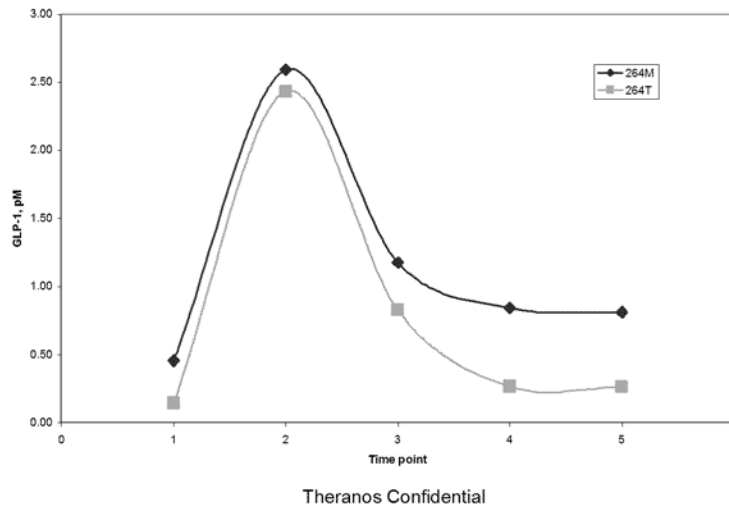


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## Subject 264

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## Summary Statistics GLP-1 Comparison

- TheranosLOD = 0.17 pM
- Dynamic range measured: 0-3.2 pM
- Mean = 0.9 pM (Th), 1.0 (MSD)

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Theranos Angiogenesis Study Report

Pfizer, Inc.

**Document Outline:**

- Introduction to Theranos
- Background on Theranos Studies
- Economic Impact of Theranos Systems to Pharma
- Angiogenesis Program Overview
  - Study design
- Theranos System Overview
  - Specifications
  - Theranos System Performance
- Theranos Field Study
  - Field Performance Overview
  - Trial Data
  - Evaluation of time course results from individual patients
  - Review of generated data, in aggregate by patient ID, sex, cancer type, treatment, etc.
  - Integrated patient information, including date and time of monitoring, medication received, self evaluation of overall health status of each patient and other clinical data in a comprehensive format
  - Assessment of the technical performance of the Theranos System
    - Data transmission % success and mode of transmission used
    - General performance information as logged via the Customer Care line
    - Assessment of patient compliance with protocol
  - Summary of patient and clinical staff assessment of the Theranos System and the Client Solutions team via end-of-study surveys
- Conclusions
  - General
  - Technical
  - Economic

**Introduction to Theranos:**

Accurately, rapidly, and effectively profiling the efficacy dynamics of a therapy in clinical studies is an unmet need that has long challenged the conventional blood testing infrastructure.

Theranos has demonstrated in clinical studies that more frequent longitudinal time-series measurements on fresh whole blood samples with a multiplexed platform that eliminates the noise (and inability to accurately characterize very broad dynamic ranges) of conventional tests is imperative to effectively characterizing physiological changes and the efficacy of any intervention.

Theranos' wirelessly integrated data analytical system allows for 'baseline' profiles of pathway dynamics to be created and updated automatically as data is generated in the field. If needed, analyte selection or frequency of sampling can be adjusted at any time during the study based on the data coming in.

In future studies within a given indication, the data analytical infrastructure can be used for predictive modeling wherein new patient data can be indexed against the stored baseline profiles for earlier reads on efficacy dynamics and dose-response.



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### Background on Theranos Studies:

Every day gained in getting a new brand to market can be measured in millions of dollars.

Time is a major factor of cost of development of a new drug. For years the pharmaceutical industry has worked to drive every day possible out of the development process, and has reached a point where the physical limitations around the timelines for statistically significant data acquisition primarily determine the time to market.

Theranos Systems revolutionize those timeline constraints by enabling instant access to higher quality data and exponentially faster reads on efficacy and safety dynamics from the initiation of clinical trials. In doing so, Theranos is laying the foundation of a new growth model for pharma.

Theranos Systems radically impact revenues and growth on new and existing drugs in ways that were previously not possible:

- ◆ Faster approvals and studies - Immediate access to results enables immediate decision making and planning; early reads on efficacy dynamics and dose optimization for sub-populations through more comprehensive longitudinal PK/PD profiling
- ◆ Reimbursement and differentiation - Concrete reads on efficacy dynamics and visibility into mechanisms of action to optimize compounds dynamically
- ◆ Rapid access to multiple markets pre and post-approval - early reads on efficacy through trends in the change in rate of key markers allow for rapid label expansion
- ◆ Amelioration of safety concerns – more accurate reads on actual pathway dynamics enable rapid optimization where beneficial and delineation of patient sub-populations

### Economic Impact of Theranos Studies to Pharma:

Based on Theranos' previous experience, predictive modeling and more comprehensive longitudinal profiling has resulted in the demonstration of meaningful dose-response and efficacy dynamics profiles in 6 month timeframes where the conventional infrastructure took two years and was still not able to generate hard correlations. An 18 month time-savings, not to mention the ability to gain insight into methods for optimization for label expansion, can conservatively be equated to hundreds of millions of dollars gained. With industry estimates at \$1-3M a day for the value of each day gained in time to market, even 6 months saved ranges between \$180M and \$540M in return on investment.

Equally, once the infrastructure has been implemented, future studies are requiring about 25% fewer patients, reducing the patient costs, number of sites required, assay development, reagent screening, and infrastructure costs for shipping and processing samples through ambulatory point-of-care monitoring.

Overall savings on 6 month trials once the data analytical infrastructure has been established have averaged 50% of the cost of running an equivalent trial through the conventional infrastructure, further saving millions of dollars. As the data analytical engine evolves after the first 6 month study, costs are further reduced in each follow-on study, covering the cost of Theranos infrastructure and units many times over.

Ultimately though, the greatest economic return on investment lies in the ability to expand percentage market ownership through visibility into pathway dynamics that enables rapid characterization of responder populations in ways previously not possible. This capability enables





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commercialization of 'targeted blockbusters' by redefining a company's historical success rate in realizing the target product profile of each drug once it hits the market.

### **Angiogenesis Program Overview:**

The primary objective of the present program was to demonstrate the functionality of Theranos Systems in such a way that future studies could fully leverage the power of comprehensive longitudinal time-series profiling for rapid compound optimization and development.

For this program, Theranos was asked to develop multiplexed point-of-care assays for VEGF and PIGF for use in monitoring patient pharmacodynamic response to anti-angiogenesis therapies. Because the development of VEGFR2 in that multiplex was desirable as a tool for use in future studies, Theranos developed the assay and included it in the point-of-care multiplex.

In this program, Theranos validated not only functional equivalence, but superior performance specifications of the Theranos multiplex to each of the respective 'gold-standard' kits.

An Interim Report on Assay Development was submitted to Pfizer in Q2 '07 upon successful completion of assay development.

As planned for at the interim update meeting with Pfizer, the first patient began participating in the study in July of 2007. In order to fast-track the program timeline, Theranos contracted an independent site - Tennessee Oncology Center.

Enrollment of Sutent patients at this site was very slow; from the time patient screening began (early 2007) and after discussions with respective members of the Pfizer team, the protocol was revised several times to increase the frequency of monitoring but reduce the total number of patients and shorten the monitoring cycles per patient. Likewise, enrollment criteria were broadened to include patients on other therapies with whom trends in the relevant markers could also be profiled.

In doing so, statistical significance in meeting the study goals could still be ensured. Multiple IRB submissions were filed. Final IRB and Informed Consent Forms were included in two interim update reports sent to Pfizer.

### **Goals of Study:**

1. Generate preliminary data on VEGF and PLGF trends in cancer patients while assessing the use of the Theranos System in the hands of clinicians and patients.
2. Obtain feedback and recommendations from clinical staff.
3. Assess the use of the Theranos System in the hands of ambulatory patients at home.
4. Assess the Ambulatory Bioinformatics Communications System<sup>1</sup> including the physician and patient web portals as well as the data reports generated.

### **Study design:**

Patient screening began in January 2007, once the final site was selected, enrollment began. In July of 2007, the first patient was enrolled in the trial. This trial consisted of very ill late-stage (4<sup>th</sup> line) cancer patients with various tumor types receiving a variety of therapies at the Sarah

<sup>1</sup> The Ambulatory Bioinformatics Communication System (formerly known as ABCS) was rebranded as TheranOS, the Theranos Operating System.



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Cannon Research Center at Tennessee Oncology (TNONC) in Nashville, Tennessee. The patients in the study typically resided in very remote locations across the eastern US. Almost all patients were not computer literate, and most were from low income families, unable to afford private telephone service.

The Theranos angiogenesis monitoring system was evaluated for clinical efficacy and as a means of more accurately and effectively monitoring cancer therapy and the progression of solid tumor cancers from a mechanism-of-action perspective. 32 patients were enrolled. Various cycles of therapies were monitored as well as physical changes in tumor size.

Four of the patients retracted consent to the study, three of them due to family problems and one due to mental and physical instability. Thus, Theranos increased the targeted enrollment number to ensure that the goal of demonstrating performance across significantly significant patient numbers would be met. That goal has now been achieved. To realize the goal, some patients had extended (60 day) monitoring periods.

Since Theranos has the ability to continue monitoring patients under the existing IRB and given the power of some of the correlations which are becoming apparent, Theranos may continue monitoring those patients for an extended period of time.

Enrollment was unpredictable and slow. All installations and shipments completed for this study were done on-demand with less than 24 hours. As part of the installation procedure, Theranos' client solutions team has performed at-home installations and pick-ups for many weak patients.

For each patient, a total of up to 14 time points were collected during the month-long analysis period, 3-4 time points taken at the clinic and the other 10-11 time points taken in-home. Both finger-stick and venous samples were taken during each clinic visit, while only finger-stick samples were run in-home. The venous draw samples were run on the Theranos System in the clinic at the time of the draw; these samples were also processed so that the plasma and/or serum was analyzed using a reference method.

Venous samples were processed using reference methods and provide an archive of 41 anti-coagulated plasma and serum samples which were frozen and have subsequently been analyzed at Theranos.

#### **Theranos System Overview:**

The Theranos System is comprised of consumer-oriented readers, single-use cartridges containing assay chemistry and controls, and a data collection system that communicates through cellular networks with the instrument to provide assay protocols and to compute and display results.

The steps required of a new patient are to 1) take the machine out of the box and 2) plug it into a power source. The touch-screen then walks each patient through the process of poking his/her finger, depositing blood into the cartridge, and placing the cartridge in the reader drawer. The instrument then processes the assays and sends the data through the cellular network in real-time to a secure web-portal.

Theranos Systems allow for quantitative, multiplexed longitudinal time-series measurements to map correlations between the rate of change of blood-borne markers over time to surrogate and clinical end-points.



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Specifications:

- ❖ Designed for at home use. Can also be used in physician's offices, ICU, and laboratories.
- ❖ Multiplexed measurement of biomarkers.
- ❖ Customizable for different/new assays on demand.
- ❖ Average 6 measurements per cartridge
- ❖ Serial measurements to comprehensively profile pharmacodynamic response through trends
- ❖ Runs fresh whole blood, plasma or serum samples
- ❖ Finger-stick – small sample size
- ❖ Mix and match selection of analytes on demand.
- ❖ Wide measurement range
  - pg/mL – mg/mL (1 billion fold)
- ❖ High sensitivity
  - 0.2 pg/mL (2 parts per 10-billion)
- ❖ Analyte Recovery: ~100 %
- ❖ System CV post-calibration (inter-intra reader, cartridge, and assay): < 10 %
- ❖ On-board chemistry controls
- ❖ Factory calibration (no user calibration)
- ❖ Wireless communication of results to appropriate user through cellular network
- ❖ Proprietary algorithms to interpret time trend results

The existence of a technology infrastructure for home, real-time blood monitoring allows collection of information which cannot be obtained using conventional blood testing scenarios:

- ❖ Small sample (finger-stick) + more frequent sampling of a small subset of analytes enables:
  - Identification of appropriate analytes (greatly helped by more frequent sampling)
  - Earlier detection of efficacy and safety and acute problems so intervention (for example, dose modification or change in drug type) can be more effective
  - Convenience of monitoring through-out a time-course before an event
- ❖ Higher sample integrity; real-time sample analysis on fresh whole blood on a standardized platform which can be deployed at any location (world-wide) eliminates assay inaccuracy associated with commercially available tests performed on samples which are "old" by the time they are analyzed.
  - Elimination of erroneous results (caused by analyte instability) and inherent errors in data and patient correlations (caused by processing data at various contract locations)





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For this study, an instrument was deployed in the home of each patient; four others were installed at the Cancer Center.

Three assays were performed simultaneously in multi-plex by the system on a finger-stick sample of fresh whole blood. The analytes were Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor (VEGF), soluble VEGF receptor R2 (sVEGFR2, usually referred to as VEGFR2) and Placental Growth Factor (PLGF). Each assay was controlled using within-cartridge control measurements.

The system was calibrated at Therascan. Multiple cartridge lots were produced each with successively more clinically relevant specifications once samples were received from patients in the trial, as samples were not available during assay validation. Each lot was independently calibrated.

*Traceability of calibration* : Calibration is traced to authentic analytes dissolved at known concentrations in a plasma-like matrix. Calibration materials are prepared as mixed solutions of the three analytes. Assignment of calibrator concentrations is then made to values found for measurements of calibrators using reference assays.

*System Performance Goals:*

Assay	Reportable low pg/mL	Reportable high pg/mL	Precision CV, %
VEGF	20	10,000	10
VEGFR2	150	15,000	10
PLGF	5	1,000	10

*Assay ranges achieved:*

The goals for each assay's dynamic range were achieved. Due to the inability to receive samples for calibration at the beginning of the studies, the upper limit of calibration for VEGF was restricted to 3,000 pg/mL in the first cartridge lots, but then extended<sup>2</sup> to 10,000 pg/mL. For early cartridge lots the PLGF assay lower limit of sensitivity was 50 pg/mL. Therefore, many early results for PLGF were out-of-range low ("OORL"). Lots produced after receiving samples for calibration have reportable ranges below 20 pg/mL.

<sup>2</sup> All three assays have a linear dose-responses extending far above the highest calibrator used.



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*Specificity:*

The specificity of the assays depends on the pairs of antibodies chosen for each assay. In the first instance, we rely on the antibody vendor information. Selected pairs are known to have good specificity in ELISA assays. Key issues for these analytes are (1) the structural relationship of VEGF and (2) the fact that VEGF binds to sVEGFR2. We have shown that the Theranos assay system is not affected by the presence of VEGF and VEGFR2 and PLGF in the same samples. In many patients in this study, the drug Avastin is used. This drug is an antibody that binds to VEGF. It is obvious that ELISA assays for VEGF (and perhaps VEGFR2) using antibody pairs are likely to be interfered with by Avastin. As documented below, Theranos assays for VEGF and VEGFR2 appear to function with minimal interference from Avastin. In contrast, the selected reference assay for VEGF is strongly interfered by Avastin.

Theranos System Performance:*Assay accuracy:*

Accuracy has been evaluated by analysis of clinical samples. Two sets of samples have been used: (1) A set of 12 serum samples from cancer patients (obtained from a commercial vendor), (2) 41 archived serum and plasma samples from this study. Because Avastin was used to treat many of the patients in the TNONC study and this antibody strongly interferes with the reference method, we used the commercially available samples for VEGF assay evaluation.

Twelve serum samples were assayed (singlicate) in the Theranos system and in duplicate for the reference method with the following results:

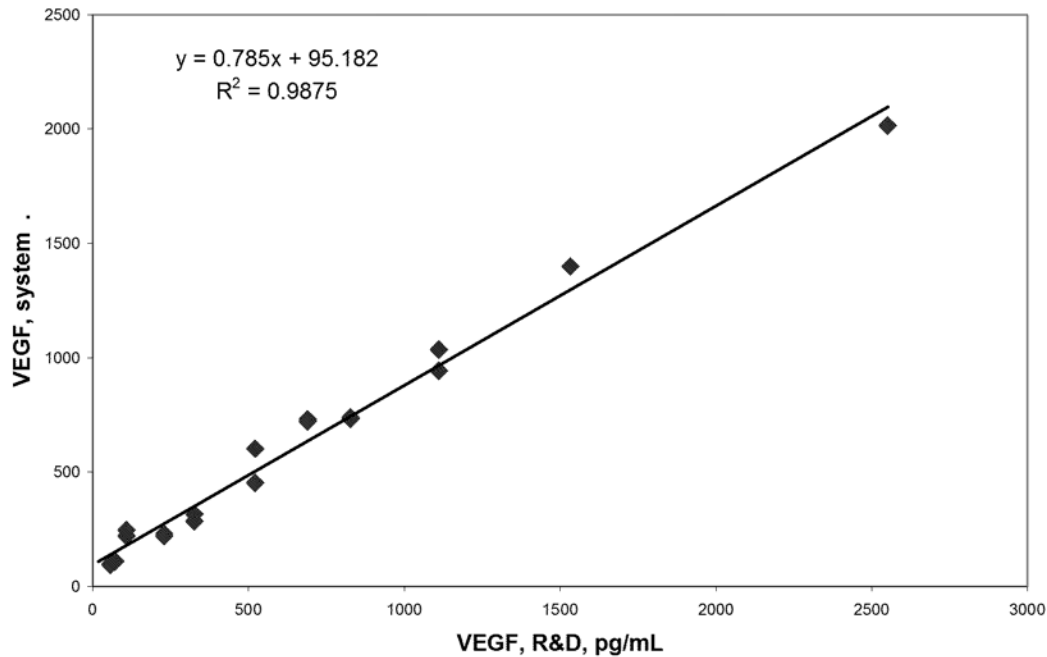
VEGF:  $y \text{ (Theranos)} = 0.785 x \text{ (reference)} + 95.2$ ;  $R^2 = 0.99$ . Range 96 – 1985 pg/mL. One sample was rejected from the analysis giving very high results in the Theranos system and low results in the reference assay. Based on the study data, it seems likely this patient was being treated with the drug Avastin, which interferes with the reference assay.



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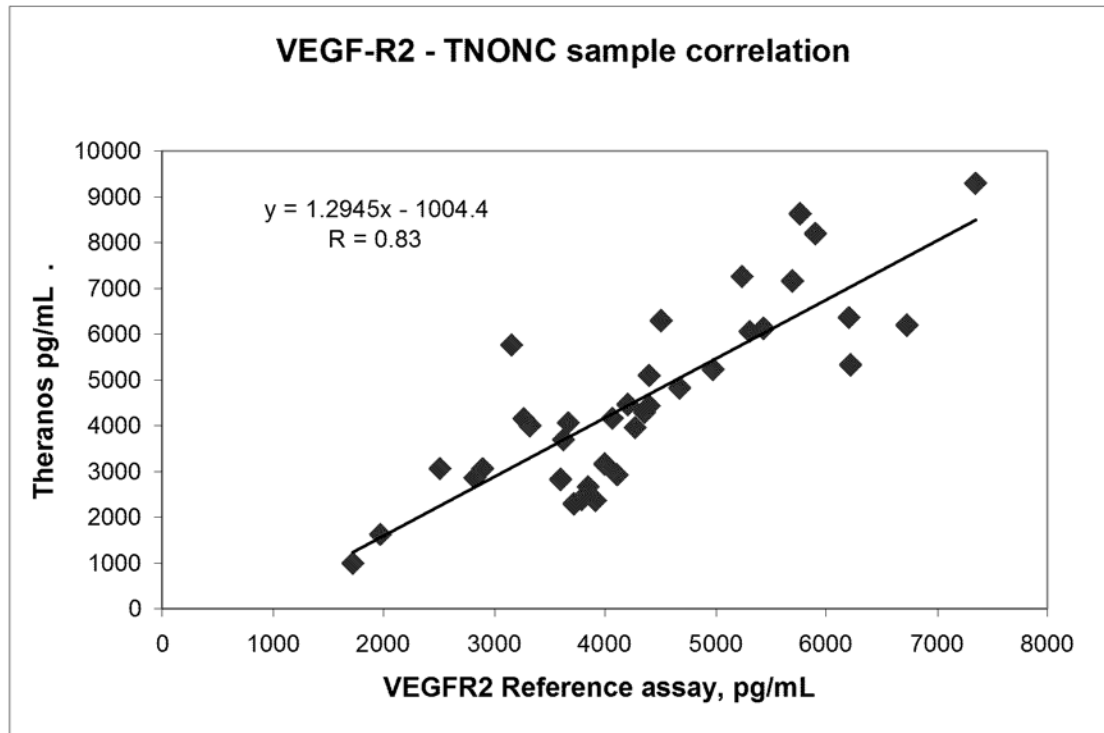
## Single cartridge clinical results



For VEGFR2, 39 TNONC samples were assayed in triplicate in the Theranos system and duplicate for the reference method. The results were:  $y$  (Theranos) =  $1.29x$  (reference) + 1004;  $R = 0.83$ . Range 1015 – 9285 pg/mL.



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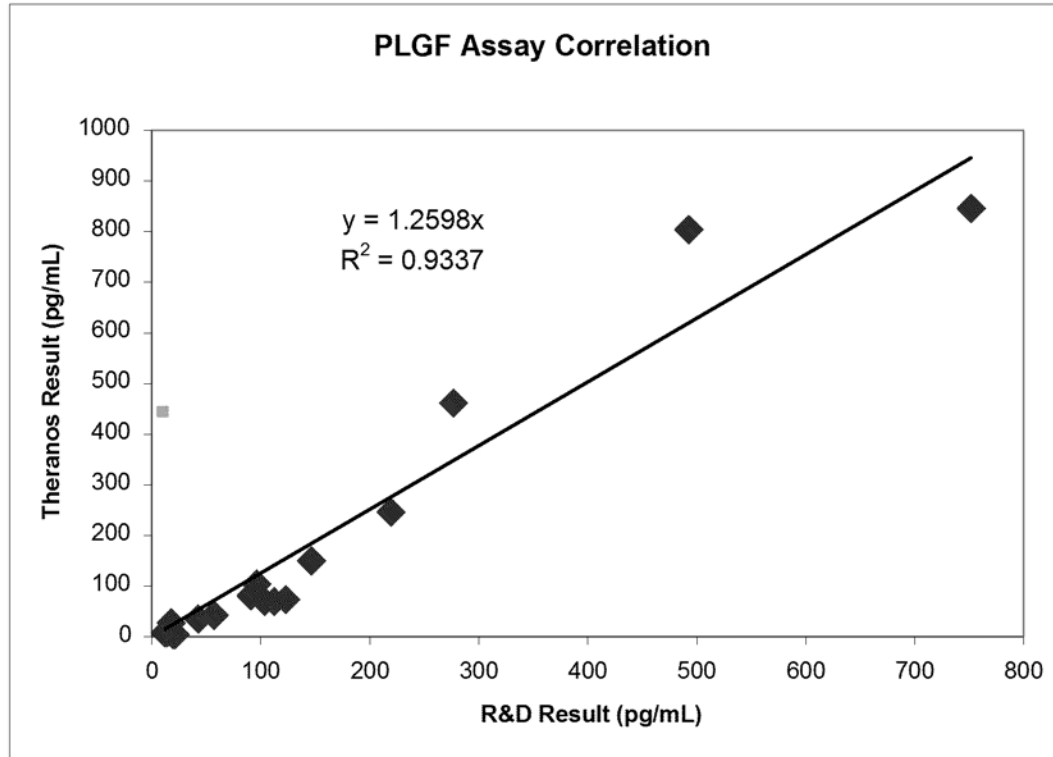


For the initial PLGF samples analyzed by Theranos in the field and with the reference method the results fell mostly in the undetectable range of both methods. Once the Theranos calibration was re-optimized, values became detectable from 5-17 pg/mL in the out-of-range-low venous samples sent to Theranos.

A significant correlation was achieved during validation on normal serum samples from twenty pregnant women assayed in quadruplicate. They were analyzed on both the Theranos system and the reference R&D Systems kit. The following results were obtained:  $y$  (Theranos) =  $1.26 \times x$  (R&D Systems);  $R = 0.96$ . The average within sample CV for the Theranos results was 9%. One sample (shown in pink) below gave discrepant results.



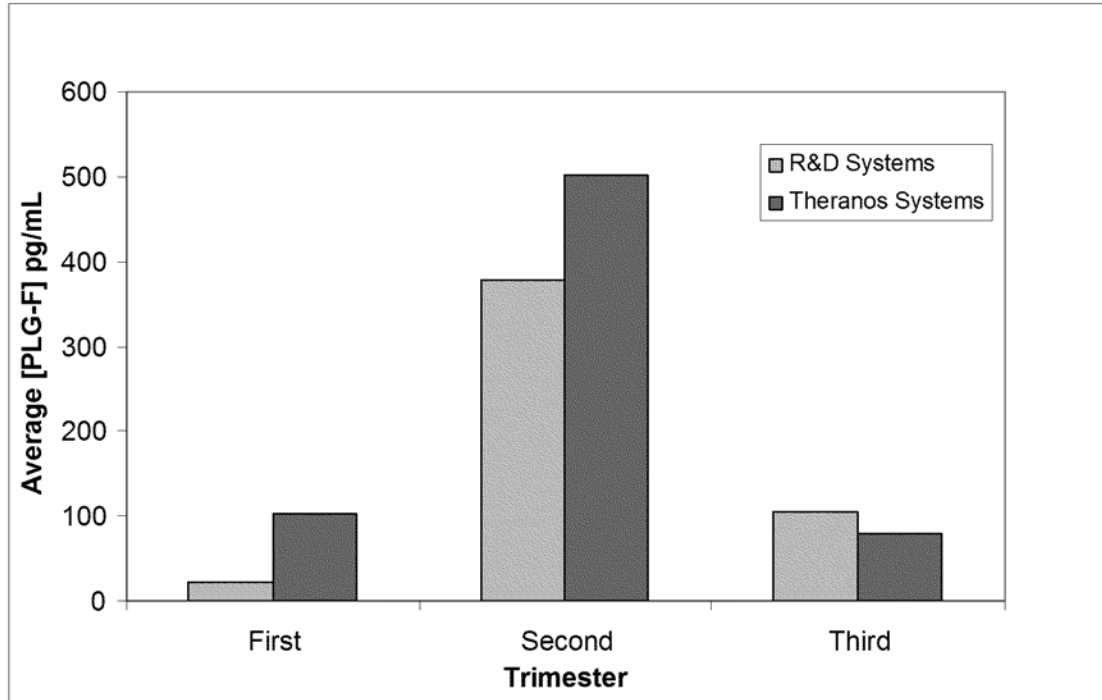
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When the results for patients were segregated by trimester and averaged, the concordance shown below was found.



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*Effect of Avastin on the reference VEGF assay:*

Comparison of reference and Theranos VEGF assay results for venous samples were not correlated. Many Theranos results were in the thousands of pg/mL where reference assay gave a low value. Since it was noted that many of the patients had been treated with Avastin which binds to VEGF, Theranos did a study of spike recovery for the reference method. VEGF (400 pg/mL) was added to each sample and the assay repeated. Results are shown below:

Avastin VEGF average, pg/mL		VEGF average, pg/mL
Present	Ref	Theranos
N	149	588
Y	136	8359
VEGF spike recovery, %		
N	66.5	
Y	-1.3	

It is evident that Avastin completely blocks the reference assay response. Presumably, Avastin binds at a site on VEGF close to or identical with that recognized by one of the antibodies used in the reference method. The reference assay thus responds only to free VEGF whereas the Theranos assay is not blocked and measures both Avastin-bound and free VEGF.





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*Assay precision:*

## Inter-Instrument Precision:

Venous samples from patients were run across four instruments.

Assay	Reportable low pg/mL	Reportable high pg/mL	Precision CV, %
VEGF	20	10,000	8.0
VEGFR2	150	15,000	7.3
PLGF	5	1,000	9.2

Precision in comparison to available reference methods was evaluated during calibration. Singlicate measurements from six instruments were used next to commercially available 'gold-standards'. Theranos adjusted the target range after obtaining clinical samples. Due to the superior performance characteristics of Theranos' assay next to commercial standards, obvious variances are seen where the reference methods report OORL.

## Single lot calibration data:

Analyte	Range (pg/mL)	Average CV, %
VEGF (lot 3)	30 – 10,000	12.0
VEGF (lot 1)	30 – 3,000	10.0
VEGFR2 (lot 3)	1,000 – 10,000	4.8
VEGFR2 (lot 1)	50 – 800	17.6
PLGF (lot 3)	5 – 780	26.9
PLGF (lot 1)	50 – 800	9.1

Precision was also measured by analysis of the 41 archived clinical samples in assays and for VEGF 12 commercial samples.

Analyte	Range (pg/mL)	Average CV, %
VEGF	30 – 10,000	16.7
VEGF <sup>3</sup>	96 – 1985	5.7
VEGFR2	1,000 – 10,000	20.4
PLGF	5 – 780	28.7

*Dilution linearity:*

Data gathered during lot calibration.

VEGF, pg/mL	Recovery, %
10000	(100)
2970	102
990	95
297	105
100	109
30	105
10	101

<sup>3</sup> Commercial samples



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## VEGFR2, pg/mL Recovery, %

10560	(100)
7920	92.9
5280	100.9
3960	104.8
2640	97.7
1320	100.8

## PLGF, pg/mL Recovery, %

780	100.0
312	87.6
156	102.8
47	106.3
16	92.4
5	99.4

For all assays, recovery was close to 100 % in the reportable range.

*Limit of detection (LOD):*

Data gathered during calibration. The LOD is defined at a 95 % confidence level.

Analyte	LOD, pg/mL
VEGF	< 20
VEGFR2	< 200
PLGF <sup>4</sup>	< 20

**Theranos Field Study:**

The system has been deployed to patient's homes and the TNONC study clinic and has downloaded protocols and uploaded data wirelessly. Some patients used direct telephonic communications (POTs modems) if they were worried about cell reception. Data for every patient has been profiled on a secure, Pfizer-specific server.

Field Performance Overview:

In this report we document results from:

- 27 patients (41% female and 59% male)
- 13 cancer types
- 38 Instruments
  - 27 instruments deployed to patients' homes

<sup>4</sup> Later stage cartridge lots





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- 4 instruments deployed to the clinical site in Nashville, TN
- 4 updated instruments to replace the readers at the clinical site such that the latest design revolution is deployed at the site
- 3 were used to replace malfunctioning readers in the field (2 at clinic - one with communication issue, one mechanical due to user error; 1 at patient's home with mechanical issues from shipping)
- 445 cartridges (approximately 1300 assay results)
  - This number includes cartridges run in-house on archived plasma as well as results gathered in-field

Data acquisition has proven feasible in the home setting. There were instruments in the field operating in extreme temperature conditions (from very hot, no A/C to A/C turned to the maximum) as well as in very diverse locations (from RV's to log cabins in the middle of forests), in remote, difficult to reach areas where poor cellular reception is prevalent.

The instruments have been deployed across three states, including Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Tennessee. As mentioned, typical turnaround time for installation and patient at-home test was less than 24 hours without notice.

In monitoring this multiplex of analytes at far greater frequency than ever before, considerable patient-response variation can be seen across different sub-patient populations, therapies, and cancer types.

When we look at the average results from each patient and the variation seen for each patient, it is evident that the patients vary drastically:

	VEGF	VEGFR2	PLGF
	Avg., pg/mL	Avg., pg/mL	Avg., pg/mL
Maximum	13,584	6,317	410
Minimum	47.5	368	37.3

**By evaluating sample statistics such as these, one can identify patients who are anomalous and who may benefit from therapy modification.**

For example, of the 13 patients with colon cancer we see one subject with an average VEGF of 13,600 pg/mL and another with an average of 255 pg/mL whereas most of the patients had VEGF values quite closely clustered at 1000 - 5000 pg/mL. Similarly, we see some subjects who show very little variation in analyte values and others with wide variations presumably related to response (high or low) to therapy.

#### Trial Data:

The following raw trial data is included in the appended spreadsheet:

1. Clinic visit diagnostics (Patient characteristics and Clinical assay results)
2. Clinic visit pivot table (clinical results presented as a customizable pivot table)
3. Patient aggregate data (Compliance data, Result averages and CVs by patient and averages by cancer type)
4. All field analyte data results (from the Theranos system presented by patient in a filtered table format [sort-able])
5. Treatment data (drugs used and dosage)



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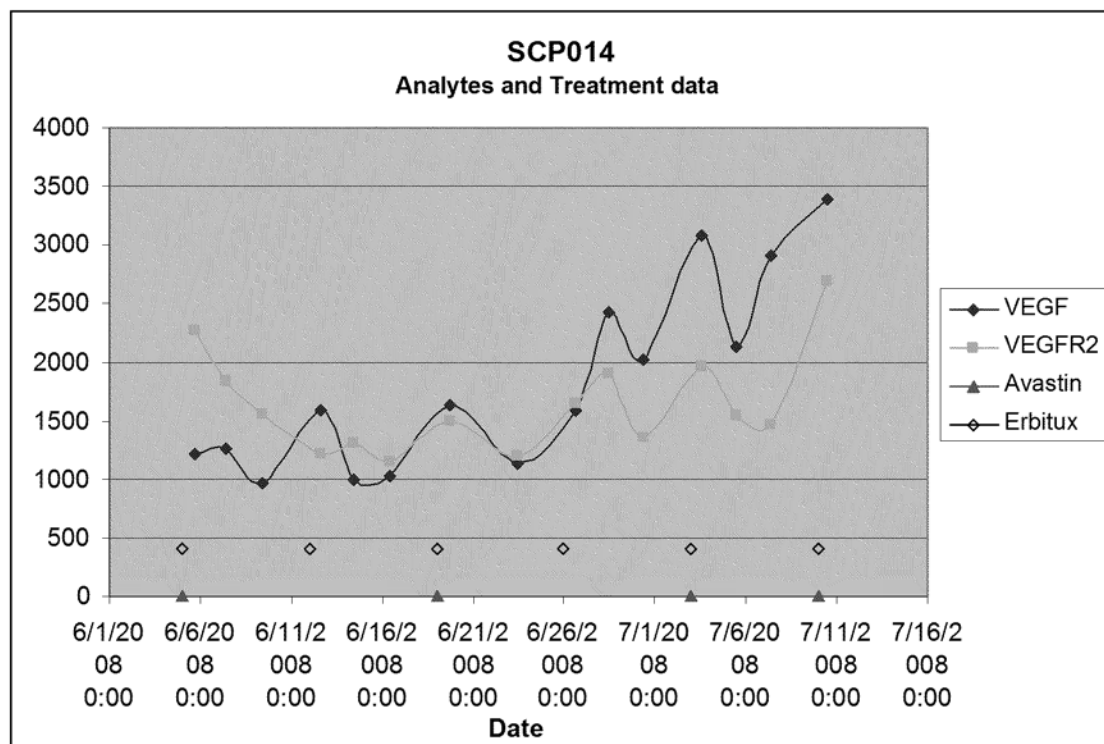


6. Individual end-of-study results (patient evaluation of system)
7. Compilation and summary of end-of-study survey results
8. Data transmission statistics

Evaluation of time course results from individual patients:

The study data demonstrates that in a larger, statistically controlled study, where the endpoint is directly proportional with patient outcome, e.g., a RECIST Score, a correlation between analyte dynamics and patient response to treatment would be generated.

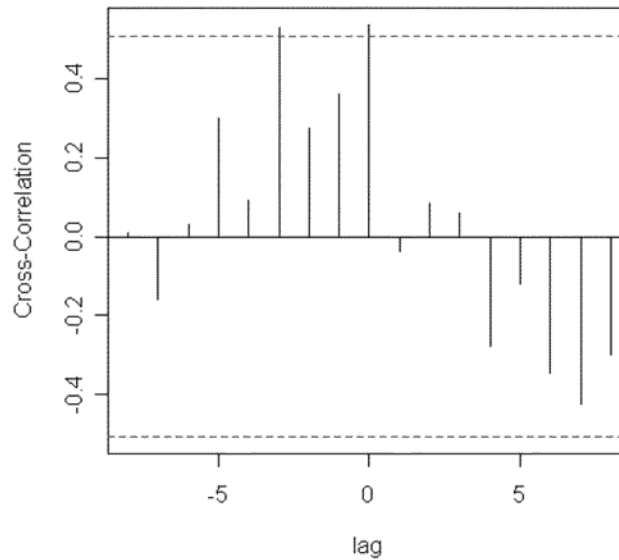
To showcase the ability to profile predictive correlations between treatment and response profiles, we selected data from two patients -- 14 and 12. Due to patient 14's clinic schedule (first figure below), we were able to collect data following multiple infusion dates, allowing limited statistical analysis to be performed that correlates analyte levels with treatment administration. The cross-correlation function (second figure below) looking at VEGF and VEGFR2 blood levels for patient 14 shows a positive correlation at a cadence of 3 data points. This coincides with the patient's weekly clinic visits during which the patient receives the Avastin infusions.



The change in rate of the parameters can be correlated to progress, seen again below in a correlation plot:



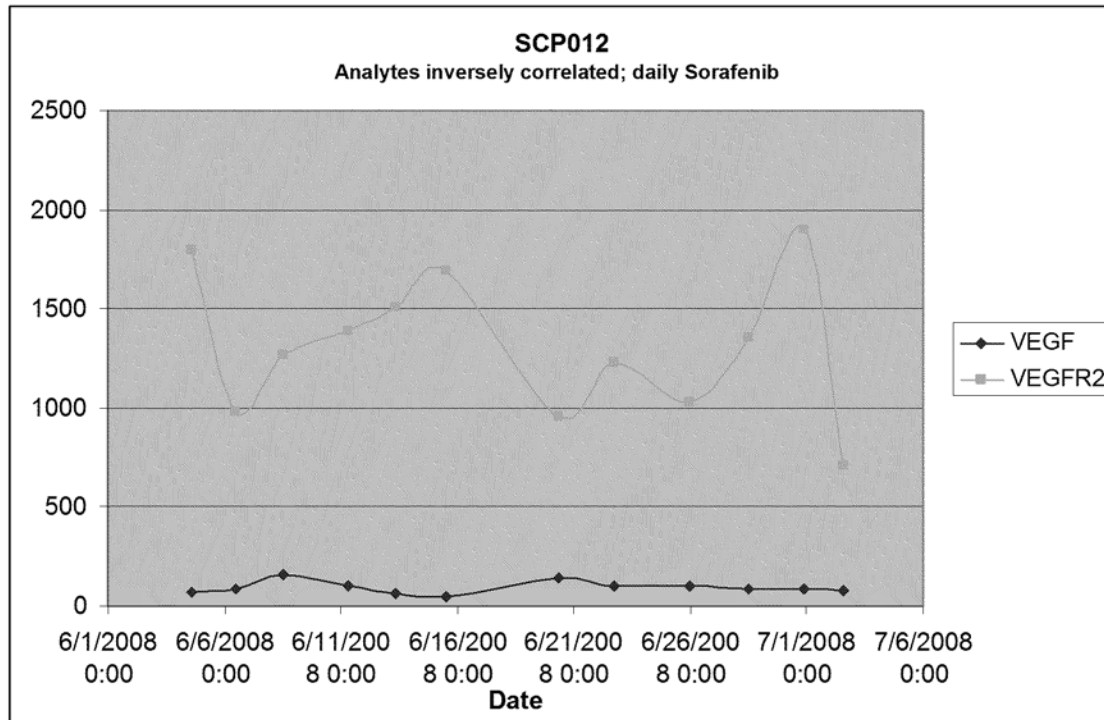
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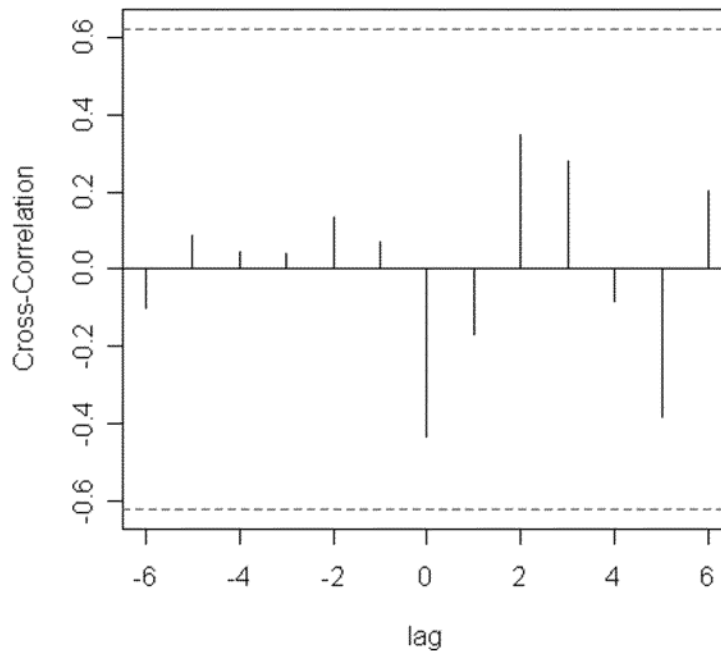
For patient 12 (first figure below), we observe an inverse correlation between VEGF and VEGFR2 blood levels. This suggests that the blood analytes behave differently with different drug treatments, pointing at distinct pathways of drug activity (second figure below).



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### tnonc12.vegfr & tnonc12.vegfr2







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For most patients analyzed, the sample size and sample numbers did not provide sufficient statistical power to derive a statistically significant conclusion but some clinical endpoint measurements were accessible to correlate analyte vectors and their rates of change with time to the patient's progression and response to treatment.

Patient average VEGF and VEGFR2 data by cancer type:

Patient ID	Cancer type	Main Treatment	Average VEGF (pg/ml)	Average VEGFR2 (pg/ml)
SCP001	Adenocarcinoma	Sutent	47.5	2592
SCP006	Breast Cancer	Avastin	2082	2662
SCP010	Breast Cancer	Avastin	2055	3040
SCP008	Breast Cancer	Sorafenib	98	1863
SCP021	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	4677	3646
SCP027	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	1093	4863
SCP029	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	3612	5658
SCP003	Colorectal Cancer	Sutent	72	2798
SCP007	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	3860	2350
SCP009	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	1840	368
SCP022	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin Patient dropped		N/A
SCP014	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	1826	1634
SCP019	Colorectal Cancer	N/A Patient dropped		N/A
SCP016	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	3006	2143
SCP031	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	13584	5463
SCP024	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	255	1540
SCP028	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	1274	6317
SCP023	Esophageal Cancer	Avastin	3145	2260
SCP030	Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor	Sutent	889	2424
SCP012	Liver Cancer	Sorafenib	96	1253
SCP017	Lung Cancer	Avastin	3947	2111
SCP025	Melanoma	Avastin	5399	3294
SCP002	Neuroendocrine carcinoma	N/A Patient dropped		N/A
SCP026	Ovarian Cancer	Sorafenib Patient dropped		N/A
SCP020	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Sutent	368	883
SCP004	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	2316	1057
SCP011	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	3159	1911
SCP013	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	3908	770
SCP015	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	3031	1068
SCP018	Tongue Cancer	Avastin	1457	3074
SCP005	Unknown Primary	Avastin	3099	2980

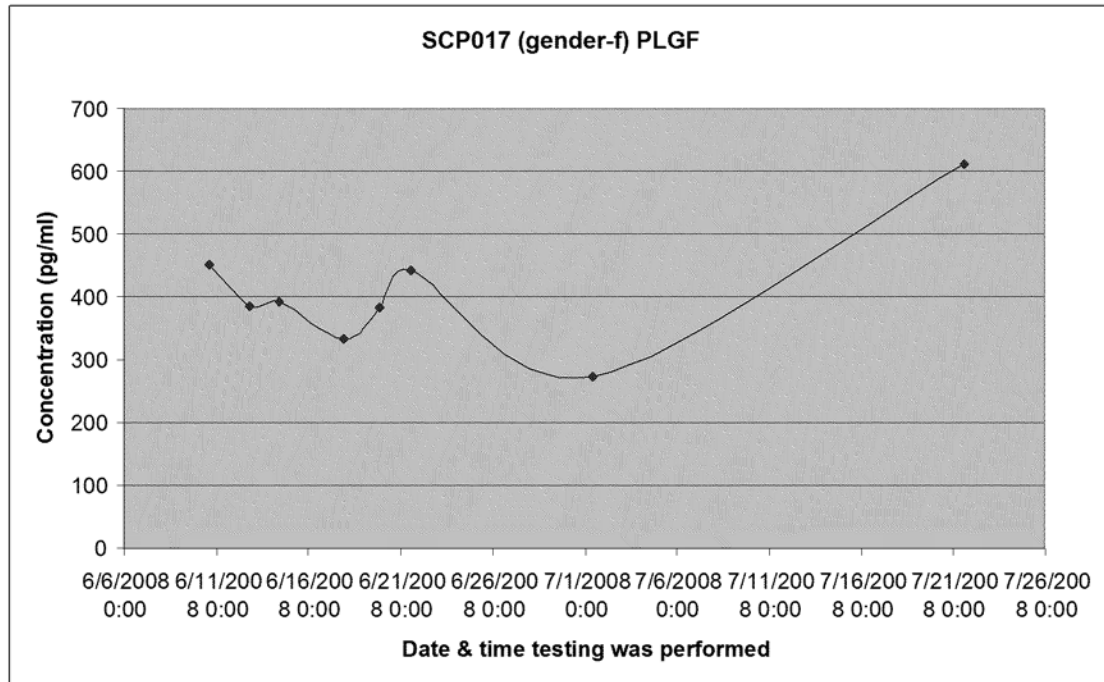
As referenced, patients #2, #19, #22, #26 dropped out of the study for various reasons; therefore average values are not statistically significant for them.



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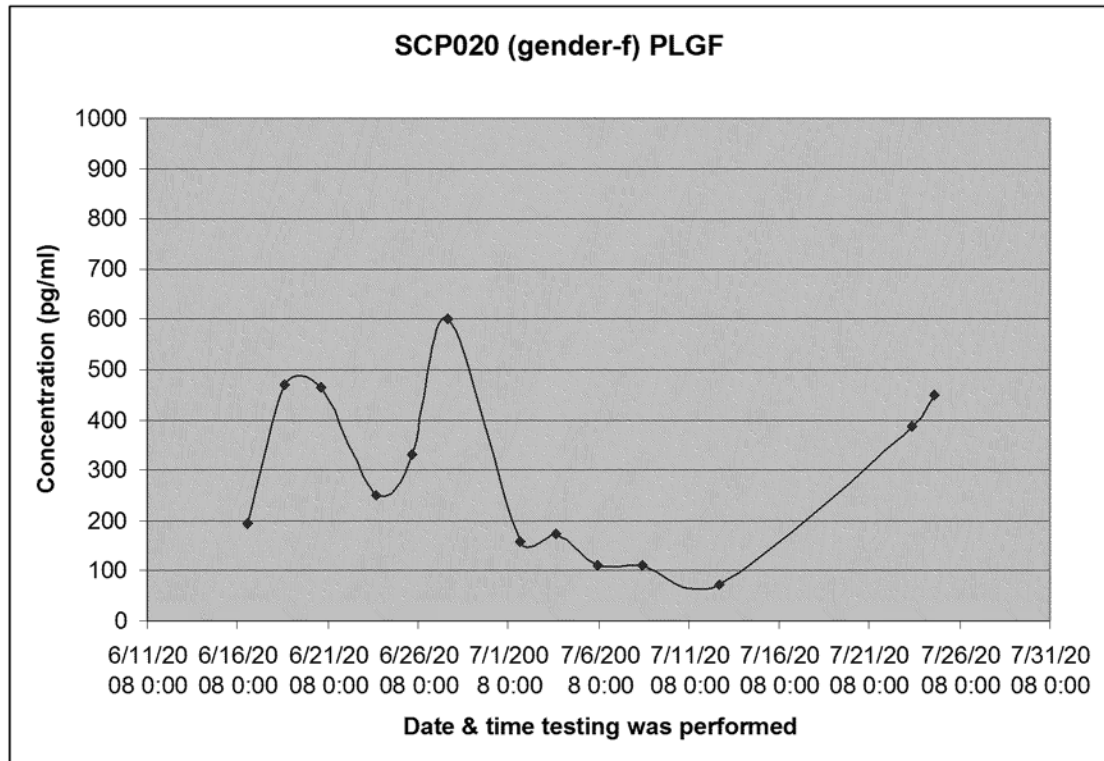


For the patients in whom PLGF is consistently detectable we selected plots as shown below.





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Patient monitoring times and quality of life by gender:

Patient ID	Cancer type	Gender (on average)* (on average)*	Time of day when home monitoring was performed	Quality of life (as measured by on-screen survey)
SCP001	Adenocarcinoma	f	Morning	N/A (Survey was not yet deployed)
SCP006	Breast Cancer	f	Afternoon	7
SCP010	Breast Cancer	f	Evening	8
SCP008	Breast Cancer	f	Late Evening	7
SCP021	Colorectal Cancer	f	Noon-afternoon	8
SCP027	Colorectal Cancer	f	Afternoon	10
SCP029	Colorectal Cancer	f	Afternoon-Evening	not yet available
SCP003	Colorectal Cancer	f	Morning	N/A (Survey was not yet deployed)
SCP017	Lung Cancer	f	Evening	9
SCP026	Ovarian Cancer	f	N/A	N/A
SCP020	Renal Cell Carcinoma	f	Afternoon	6
SCP005	Unknown Primary	f	Afternoon	9



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SCP007	Colorectal Cancer	m	Evening	7
SCP009	Colorectal Cancer	m	Late Evening	7
SCP022	Colorectal Cancer	m	N/A	8
SCP014	Colorectal Cancer	m	Morning	7
SCP019	Colorectal Cancer	m	N/A	N/A
SCP016	Colorectal Cancer	m	Evening	8
SCP031	Colorectal Cancer	m	Afternoon	not yet available
SCP024	Colorectal Cancer	m	Afternoon	9
SCP028	Colorectal Cancer	m	Evening	not yet available
SCP023	Esophageal Cancer	m	Morning	8
SCP030	Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor m		Morning	not yet available
SCP012	Liver Cancer	m	Afternoon	10
SCP025	Melanoma	m	Morning	9
SCP002	Neuroendocrine carcinoma m		N/A	N/A
SCP004	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Noon-afternoon	10
SCP011	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Morning	9
SCP013	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Evening	10
SCP015	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Evening	7
SCP018	Tongue Cancer	m	Afternoon	5

\* Actual time for each test point and diurnal variations of quality of life can be found online

Patient compliance with optional on-screen questionnaire was approximately 86% (this number was calculated before the end of the study, therefore final compliance figures may change).





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Patient clinical visit data by age:

Patient ID	Race	Smoking Status	Alcohol Consumption	Age	Weight (pounds)
SCP029	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	36	179
SCP010	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	45	165
SCP018	Caucasian	Smoke daily	None	45	181
SCP007	Caucasian	never smoked	None	46	213
SCP008	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	None	46	180
SCP002	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	49	194
SCP016	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	monthly or less	49	167
SCP012	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	53	190
SCP015	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	53	174
SCP028	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	None	57	262
SCP001	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	61	172
SCP027	African American	never smoked	None	62	167
SCP009	Caucasian	never smoked	None	63	221
SCP011	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	monthly or less	63	305
SCP024	Caucasian	infrequent attempts (never developed a habit)	Every day	64	200
SCP023	Caucasian	never smoked	Every day	65	252
SCP005	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	monthly or less	66	160
SCP021	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	monthly or less	66	198
SCP006	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	68	163
SCP017	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	Every day	69	112
SCP013	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	71	230
SCP020	Caucasian	never smoked	None	72	101
SCP026	Caucasian	never smoked	None	73	132
SCP031	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	73	134.5
SCP025	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	77	184
SCP014	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	monthly or less	78	217.5
SCP022	African American	never smoked	None	82	178
SCP030	Caucasian	never smoked	None	83	182



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Sample of patient clinical blood work by patient ID:

Patient ID	Avg. % Lymphocytes	Avg. Heart Rate	Avg. Total Bilirubin	Avg. Systolic BP	Avg. RBC
SCP001	33.4	67.7	0.7	129.3	3.2
SCP002	34.1	55.0	0.3	161.0	4.3
SCP004	27.8	64.7	0.5	144.7	3.2
SCP005	36.4	75.0	0.2	127.5	3.9
SCP006	29.5	100.7	0.3	112.7	4.3
SCP007	24.0	73.0	0.3	131.3	4.4
SCP008	23.7	84.0	0.4	124.0	5.1
SCP009	25.0	71.5	0.7	133.0	4.5
SCP010	45.3	74.3	0.9	137.8	4.5
SCP011	28.6	82.0	0.6	135.0	4.8
SCP012	28.3	75.5	0.7	122.0	4.0
SCP013	31.1	72.0	0.7	137.0	4.2
SCP014	40.2	81.5	0.4	125.3	4.0
SCP015	35.4	78.3	0.3	147.0	5.0
SCP016	18.0	75.3	0.3	131.3	4.9
SCP017	20.7	89.3	0.4	114.0	4.2
SCP018	23.4	70.0	0.3	133.0	4.8
SCP020	17.9	60.7	0.4	146.0	3.7
SCP021	36.5	91.0	0.4	130.0	4.8
SCP022	23.5	93.5	0.7	123.0	4.0
SCP023	26.3	107.7	0.7	119.7	4.7
SCP024	18.8	83.0	0.7	139.0	3.7
SCP025	33.5	94.0	0.3	143.0	5.2
SCP026	34.6	110.0	0.4	125.0	3.7
SCP027	9.5	70.0	0.7	119.0	3.7
SCP028	21.2	98.0	0.8	125.7	5.2
SCP029	32.6	90.5	0.6	122.8	5.1
SCP030	42.3	72.0	0.4	137.0	3.7
SCP031	16.7	70.0	0.4	145.0	4.3

All individual patient data was profiled as it was generated on the Pfizer-specific secure portal at [www.theranos.com](http://www.theranos.com); raw data can also be found in the attached excel spreadsheet.

#### Server and Data Transmission

Approximately 361 cartridge results and 203 optional home surveys from the field were successfully transmitted to the Theranos servers. There were less than 5% transmission errors that required the readers to either retry sending the data or wait until they had a better connection to send the data. All data gathered in the field was transmitted to the Theranos servers. For the first two patients, on-screen surveys were not available. The number of surveys received is smaller than the number of cartridge runs due to the above as well as patients filling only one survey for each of their clinic visits (even though they ran two cartridges per visit). Once surveys



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became available, each cartridge run also asked the user to complete an optional quality of life survey and compliance was very good.

Data distribution by transmission pathway to date		
Direct Internet Connection	Wireless-GSM	Traditional Phone line
5.6 %	90.7%	3.7 %

The only problem encountered with using GSM wireless phone technology was poor signal. The main reasons for poor cellular reception were: dense foliage, metal roofs and poor signal quality due to remote location. In one location (Stewart, TN), there was no cellular coverage at all; therefore the reader used the standard telephone line in order to connect to our servers and report data as it was gathered. All of this patient's logs were received by Theranos servers. In future studies, multiple network providers would be contracted for these areas.

Overall performance of the Theranos System based on Customer Care log:

The customer care line was available to patients 24 hours a day 7 days a week over the course of the entire study (July 07 to October 08). All calls were addressed professionally and all issues were resolved quickly, taking care to minimize the impact on patients and clinical staff.

The types of calls for which patients used the Customer Care line:

- o Patient running low on supplies – the solution was to simply ship more of the needed supplies with overnight delivery to make sure patient had enough for the upcoming home tests.
- o Patient not knowing how to turn machine on – the solution was to advise the patient over the phone on the procedures outlined in the setup sheet they received and to make sure they have the instrument up and running.
- o Patient calling about scheduling an instrument pickup – solution was to schedule one of our representatives to pick up the machine or alternatively to have FedEx pick up the reader if patient was able to place it in the shipping container themselves.
- o Patient called about blood transfer question – the solution was to advise the patient to leave the blood transfer device on a flat surface. If this solution was not sufficient, a new batch was shipped to make sure no capillary manufacturer defects were at fault.
- o Patient called about instrument not recognizing cartridge – the solution was to ask patient to re-try and call back if problem persisted. The suspicion was that due to poor cellular signal the reader was unable to communicate, and by re-trying it would perform appropriately. There were no subsequent calls from patient.
- o Patient called about instrument not being ready due to temperature – the solution was to ask patient to move reader away from A/C units and possible air currents. Patients had moved readers from initial installation location (one moved it to his RV, another into a really hot room) and the temperature extremes affected the readers' ability to maintain desired temperature. The Theranos readers are engineered to control temperature to eliminate variability associated with conventional assays.

The majority of systems deployed in the field performed their duties throughout the entire length of the patient monitoring schedule. One instrument had mechanical issues due to being misused; this happened during new personnel training at TNONC. The instrument was promptly replaced with a new instrument. Another failure occurred due to the instrument being damaged in shipping.





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Although it performed its functions properly for the majority of the patient's schedule it eventually malfunctioned and was also promptly (~24 hours) replaced. Yet another issue was related to the cellular carrier not identifying the instrument. To expedite the process and assure that the clinic was adequately supplied it was decided to replace that instrument with one that was known to work. The problem was later resolved off-line.

Patient Compliance with protocol:

It is hard to estimate the patient compliance with the exact protocol due to the factors out of Theranos' control. In many instances patients re-scheduled their clinic visits and the new appointments were not communicated to us. At the onset of each patient's home monitoring they were provided with a tentative schedule which in many cases changed due to patient's need to travel or inability to keep scheduled appointments. With this in mind, we estimate that patient compliance with protocol was still very good, at approximately 96 % (measured as 80-120% of expected testing completed and received). Given the missing information, a much more accurate derivation would be possible.

Theranos System Assessment by Patients and Clinical Staff:

Patient end of study surveys were sent out to all participants. To date, 17 responses were collected from patients.

Summary of patients' assessment of the Theranos system:

- 88% of patients surveyed found the Theranos System easy to use; no patients found it "very hard" to use.
- 76% of patients found the written instructions to be very informative, with clear directions; 12% did not read instructions
- 91% of patients scored the training given by their Theranos representative either a 9 or 10 (10 being very good training)
- 76% of patients found the Theranos System takes little time to use (scores between 1 and 4 were tallied, with 1 = very little time and 10 = a lot of time)
- 100% of patients found the optional touch screen survey on the Theranos System easy to use, giving scores of either 8, 9 or 10 (10 = easy to use, 1 = hard to use).
- On a scale of 10 to 1 (10 = least painful, 1 = most painful), only one patient gave the blood drawing experience a score of less than 6. 59% felt almost no pain, scoring either a 9 or 10.
- 100% of the patients that responded to the survey gave Theranos Customer Support an excellent or very good rating
- For the majority of patients, the Theranos System worked very well. The major ways of solving the questions patients had were figuring it out on their own or calling the Theranos Customer Care line.
- In the follow-up survey, 100% of patients that responded said they received excellent or very good technical support over the duration of the study.
- Most patients said they prefer monitoring from home (scored 8 through 10) using the Theranos System; 25% were indecisive (scored 4 to 6) when asked whether they prefer going to the clinic or using the Theranos System; only two patients would rather monitor at the clinic.

From the interactions with clinical staff at Tennessee Oncology, the system was:

1. well received and



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2. the client solutions team made a very positive impact on the clinical staff and patients through promptitude and professionalism.

#### Conclusions:

##### General:

1. The Theranos System performed with superior performance to reference assays while running in a complex ambulatory environment.
2. The existing Theranos support infrastructure enables on-demand home installation and patient training in extremely rural areas.
3. Patients preferred ambulatory monitoring to clinic visits and liked using the Theranos System.
4. Non-computer literate patients had no issues using the Theranos System.

##### Technical:

5. Inter-system accuracy is excellent and was demonstrated on a platform with superior performance specifications to reference methods.
6. Calibrations were updated with access to samples from the trial.
7. Good correlations were seen to various commercially available gold-standards.
8. Avastin does not block the Theranos assay.
9. The Theranos System can measure VEGF both free and bound to VEGFR2 and Avastin to better quantify dose-response.

##### Economic:

10. This 15 month study demonstrated the robust functionality of Theranos Systems. With this validation data, the technology can be applied to significantly cut costs and bring compounds to market faster:
11. More frequent sampling enabled better characterization of longitudinal time-series profiles of angiogenesis protein panels. More accurate insight of the change in rate of those panels over time enables significantly faster and earlier reads on efficacy dynamics.
  - a. See efficacy dynamics trends and correlation to end-points in patient time-course profiles on the Pfizer web-portal at [www.theranos.com](http://www.theranos.com).
12. Response profiles were seen in this study over 30 day intervals. Historically, these types of correlations have taken up to a couple years to demonstrate, or in some cases, were previously not demonstrable. This time gained facilitates rapid data generation for additions to a compendia and rapid label expansion of existing drugs. Equally, this approach can be used to fast-track approvals of key compounds and at the same time better optimize those compounds with better visibility to achieve the target product profiles.
  - a. One of Theranos' pharma partners is publishing a report which estimates the increased time to market is valued at \$1M per day – making every month quite substantial.
13. Through Theranos Systems, Pfizer will be able to reduce the number of sites, eliminate shipping costs for samples, processing costs, and analytical costs. Based on historical data, implementation of these systems will enable Pfizer to achieve ~50% cost savings over current study spending (previously demonstrated to be \$15M of a \$30M study budget). Equally, through better insight into pathway dynamics, Theranos is demonstrating the ability to reduce the number of patients required to show statistical significance in future studies by 30-50%.



**Schering Corporation  
Schering Plough Research Institute  
Assay Development Report  
Theranos Systems Multiplexed Human IL-6, Human TNF- $\alpha$ , Human CRP (hs)**

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## 1. Introduction

The Theranos Assay System is a fully automated means for measuring concentrations of analytes (biomarkers, drugs) using immunoassay methodology. The system is comprised of instruments, single-use cartridges and a wireless communications link that conveys protocol information to the instruments from a Theranos Server and relays assay data to the Server for interpretation and distribution. Blood, plasma serum and control materials may be analyzed by the System. Calibration is performed at Theranos on a cartridge-lot-specific basis.

The System accepts a metered sample (15uL) from a proprietary sampling device or a pipette, dilutes it automatically to levels appropriate to each assay then executes an automated ELISA assay protocol. The protocol is selected from a set of released protocols available on the Theranos Server and identified by reading a bar code on each cartridge. The bar code is also linked to an assay lot-specific calibration algorithm. Assays are complete in about one hour.

Assays are typically grouped (multiplexed) in particular cartridges designed to monitor specific disease and therapeutic processes. For example, a cartridge designed to monitor acute and inflammatory processes measures IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$  and CRP. Customer is interested in use of the Theranos System and has sponsored a validation exercise at Theranos focused on the inflammatory marker cartridge.

In this exercise, many instruments (60) and three lots of cartridges were used for validation of system level performance: inter-intra device, cartridge, and assay performance.

## 2. Storage and Use





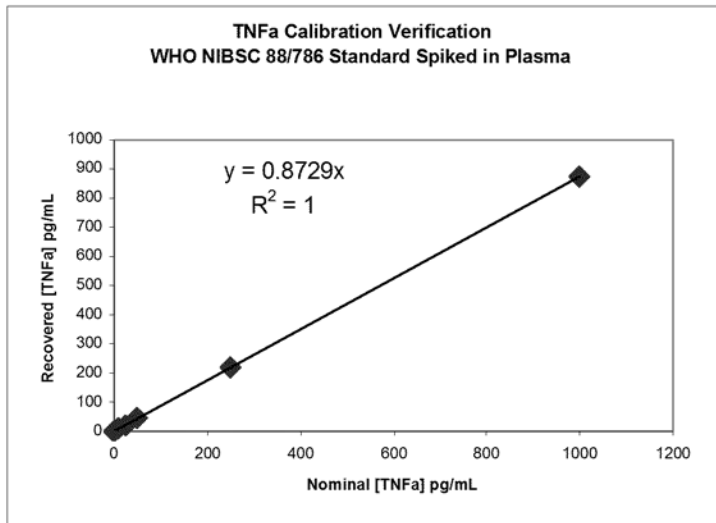
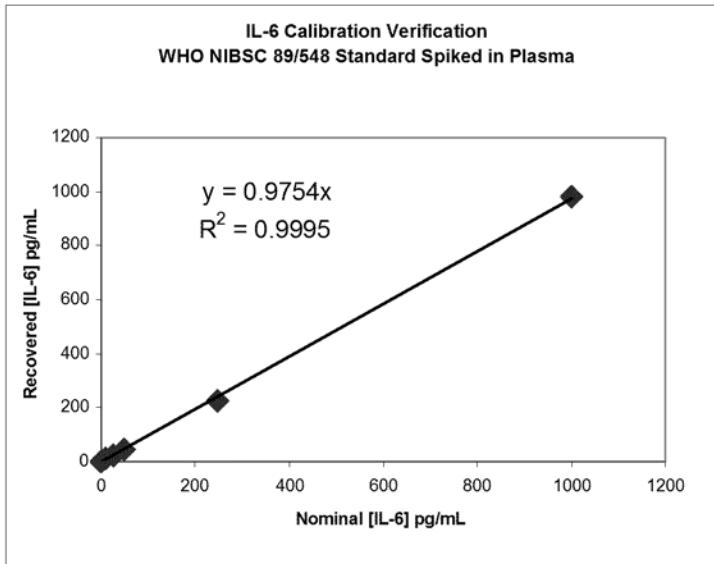
Theranos cartridges should be stored in the original unopened packaging in an upright position at 4°C. Theranos instruments require no user maintenance or calibration. User prompts are provided on a screen which is part of the instrument.

### 3. Calibration

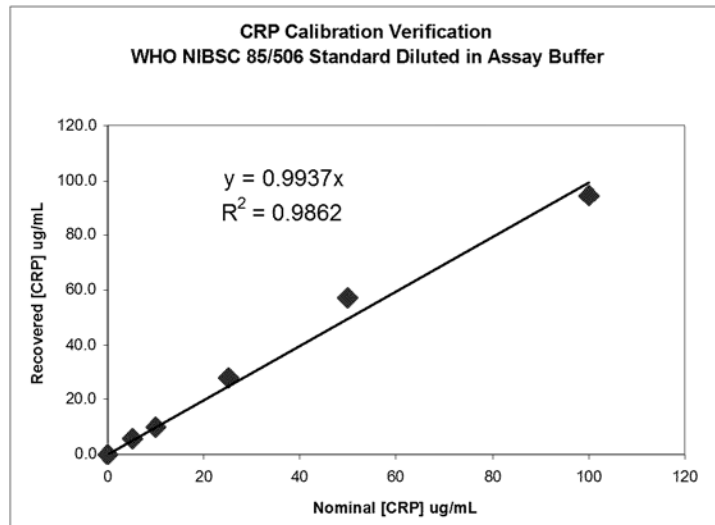
IL-6 and TNF- $\alpha$  assay calibration utilize recombinant analytes expressed in human-cell lines as calibration materials. These are reportedly more stable than recombinant analytes made in bacteria and more similar to the naturally occurring analytes. The CRP assay is calibrated with a human plasma-derived analyte. Theranos Systems assays recognize “natural”, recombinant, and human-cell line expressed recombinant forms of IL-6 and TNF- $\alpha$ . Each lot of Theranos Cartridges is individually calibrated, the calibration equation is linked to the cartridge barcode and results are automatically computed on the Theranos data server. For this validation study, three cartridge lots were produced and calibrated.

#### **NIBSC WHO Verification of Calibration**

Exemplary assay responses are shown in Appendix A. Calibrations for IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$  and CRP were verified by testing the recovery of the current National Institute for Biological Standards and Control (NIBSC) World Health Organization (WHO) Reference Standards. The current WHO standard for IL-6 is NIBSC code 89/548 (recombinant protein produced in CHO cells with post translational modifications), for TNF- $\alpha$  NIBSC code 88/786 (a natural human protein derived from human BALL-1 cells), and for CRP NIBSC code 85/506 from human plasma. Spike recovery of all three WHO standards were within acceptable limits across the assay ranges as shown in the figures and tables below. Note that for the TNF- $\alpha$  assay we found low recovery (about 30%) of the WHO standard in a reference kit (R&D Systems Quantikine HS catalogue # HSTA00D, data shown in Appendix B). Therefore comparisons of sensitivity and slopes of assay correlations of results of the Theranos System with those of R&D Systems kits will show different results due to their respective calibrations. For example, the R&D Systems Assay would report a TNF- $\alpha$  value of 4 pg/mL when the Theranos Assay reports 12 pg/mL. If desired by a customer the Theranos System can be configured (in calibration algorithms) to provide results matching those of R&D Systems assays (or those of other predicate assay). It is our intention however to continue to perform primary calibration of Theranos assays using International Standard materials whenever possible since predicate assays not so calibrated may be subject to lot-to-lot variation in calibration.







<b>Theranos Systems Recovery of IL-6 (NIBSC code 89/548) Spiked in Plasma</b> n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level					
[IL-6] IU/mL	[IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	1000	981.1	11	980.1	98
25	250	227.1	16	226.2	90
5	50	45.2	10	44.2	88
3	25	21.5	8	20.5	82
1	10	10.5	9	9.5	95
0	0	1.0	47	0.0	N/A

<b>Theranos Systems Recovery of TNF-<math>\alpha</math> (NIBSC code 88/786) Spiked in Plasma</b> n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level					
[TNFa] IU/mL	[TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNF- $\alpha$ ] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
46.5	1000	873.4	3	873.0	89
11.6	250	218.7	3	218.3	96
2.3	50	44.0	10	43.5	96
1.2	25	20.9	22	20.4	95
0.5	10	10.9	19	10.5	100
0	0	0.4	14	0.0	N/A

<b>Theranos Systems Recovery of CRP (NIBSC code 85/506) in Assay Buffer</b> n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level				
[CRP] IU/mL	[CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	% Recovery
98	100	94.6	2	95
49	50	57.4	18	115
24.5	25	28.1	15	113
10	10	10.2	14	102



4.9	5	5.7	20	114
0	0	0.0	30	N/A

#### 4. Range

Reportable ranges based on calibration to WHO standards determined for these assays are:

Assay	Low	High
IL-6	2 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL
TNF- $\alpha$	4 <sup>1</sup> pg/mL	1000 pg/mL
CRP	0.05 ug/mL	100 ug/mL

As shown below, all three tested lots support these ranges<sup>2</sup>.

#### 5. Quantitation Limits

Assay calibrations and determination of Lower Limit of Quantitation (LLOQ) and Upper Limit of Quantitation (ULOQ) were performed and analyzed by proprietary software. Assay responses were fitted by a four-parameter equation and LLOQ and ULOQ determined according to FDA criteria. Calibrators were run in triplicate on three days (consecutive or non-consecutive) on 36 instruments for a total of nine cartridges per level, at 12 levels.

##### Summary of Calibration Analysis for three Cartridge Lots

Lot 2455142005	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	1.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL
Lot 2455146006	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	1.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL
Lot 2455156002	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	2.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL

#### Limits of detection (LOD)

The range in the Limits of detection calculated as  $2 \times \text{Signal SD} / \text{Slope of dose response}$  ( $\square \text{signal} / \square \text{conc}$ ) are reported for the three lots of Theranos cartridges. Comparison data are also given for R&D Systems assays Minimum Detectable Dose "MDD" (which is equivalent to LOD). In addition to the calibration issue for the R&D Systems TNF- $\alpha$  assay discussed above

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent to 1 pg/mL in the R&D Systems assay calibrated using R&D Systems calibrators

<sup>2</sup> The lower limit of the reportable range of the TNF- $\alpha$  assay has been extended below the LLOQ so as not to restrict the reportable range too much. The LLOQ is higher than anticipated due to unexpectedly high imprecision of the assay in the cartridge lots used for validation compared with other cartridge lots used in pre-clinical work. We are presently investigating the root cause of this imprecision.



which gives a four-fold lower limit for R&D Systems, we believe the calculation of MDD performed by R&D Systems may be compromised (falsely low) by the inability of any known spectrometer to report optical density to the required precision needed to support the calculated values.

The CRP MDD reported by R&D Systems is highly misleading since it represents the concentration in the assay rather than in the sample (which “must be diluted” according to their package insert prior to assay). Note that the Theranos assay uses a sample which is diluted 5000-fold. If we compare the actual sensitivity *in the assay medium* the Theranos value would be about 0.006 ng/mL.

Assay System	IL-6 (pg/mL) TNF-	$\alpha$ (pg/mL) CRP (ng/mL)	
Theranos	0.9 – 1.5	3.7 – 5.2	28 - 31
R&D Systems	0.02 – 0.11	0.04 – 0.19	0.005 – 0.22
R&D Systems <sup>3</sup>		0.16 – 0.76	

## 6. Precision and Accuracy

Plasma with low endogenous analyte levels was spiked with three levels of the analytes were measured in 16 cartridges per level on 48 instruments. Recovery of the spiked analyte was good. Imprecision (% CV) ranged from 10 - 25 %. Note that the imprecision cited includes both instrument-instrument and cartridge-cartridge variance.

### Spiked Plasma Samples (n=16 cartridges, n=48 instruments)

Nominal [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	StDev	CV %	Recovery
800.3	806.9	79.8	9.9	101
50.3	50.5	4.7	9.2	100
5.3	5.1	0.8	15.5	96
Nominal [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	StDev	CV %	Recovery
500.3	418.9	39.6	9.5	84
50.3	42.7	5.1	12.0	85
12.3	12.9	3.2	24.6	105
Nominal [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	StDev	CV %	Recovery
50.1	50.4	10.0	19.9	101
1.6	1.6	0.3	16.8	97
0.1	0.1	0.0	20.6	103

## 7. Specificity

Assays were tested for cross reactivity and interference by the factors listed below, at high, mid and low analyte levels. Potential cross-reactants were selected based on package inserts of recognized predicate methods and added at levels deemed to be higher than those likely to be

<sup>3</sup> Recalculated to reflect calibration to WHO standard material



found in clinical samples. No significant cross reactivity or interference was observed for any of the assays by any of the tested factors at all analyte levels tested.

<b>IL-6 Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)</b>					
<b>Substance</b>	<b>[Test Substance] ng/mL</b>	<b>Target [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
Control	0	1000.3	1100.3	7.8	110
	0	90.3	95.8	16.6	106
	0	8.3	9.4	4.8	113
IL-1 $\alpha$	10	1000.3	939.2	2.9	94
	10	90.3	97.0	15.7	107
	10	8.3	9.0	6.9	108
IL-2	10	1000.3	1047.7	1.7	105
	10	90.3	86.7	9.4	96
	10	8.3	8.7	22.3	105
IL-3	10	1000.3	950.0	12.7	95
	10	90.3	91.9	4.6	102
	10	8.3	7.9	4.4	95
IL-4	10	1000.3	908.0	10.9	91
	10	90.3	79.9	16.7	88
	10	8.3	8.1	18.1	97
IL-6 sR	50	1000.3	914.9	18.0	91
	50	90.3	81.2	1.3	90
	50	8.3	8.0	29.0	96
IL-7	10	1000.3	895.0	10.0	89
	10	90.3	78.1	9.1	87
	10	8.3	8.2	9.4	99
IL-8	10	1000.3	927.8	9.7	93
	10	90.3	82.3	17.1	91
	10	8.3	8.4	17.6	101
IL-11	10	1000.3	897.5	12.5	90
	10	90.3	90.3	6.1	100
	10	8.3	7.9	2.2	95
IL-12	10	1000.3	837.6	8.4	84
	10	90.3	85.8	14.7	95
	10	8.3	6.8	18.1	82
CNTF	10	1000.3	900.6	8.4	90
	10	90.3	95.3	5.8	106
	10	8.3	8.9	22.4	107
G-CSF	10	1000.3	925.0	18.7	92
	10	90.3	90.2	12.8	100
	10	8.3	9.7	6.9	117
sgp130	1000	1000.3	895.5	17.0	90
	1000	90.3	88.6	2.0	98



IL-6 Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
	1000	8.3	9.4	3.2	114
LIF R	50	1000.3	895.2	2.8	89
	50	90.3	78.5	16.5	87
	50	8.3	8.9	19.8	107
OSM	10	1000.3	945.4	9.5	95
	10	90.3	77.1	10.0	85
	10	8.3	6.9	16.8	83
TNF- $\beta$	10	1000.3	919.6	8.6	92
	10	90.3	83.3	15.8	92
	10	8.3	9.4	7.8	113
IL-1 $\beta$	10	1000.3	901.2	8.1	90
	10	90.3	85.7	17.6	95
	10	8.3	7.5	10.5	90
sTNF RI	10	1000.3	1025.2	9.2	102
	10	90.3	83.4	11.4	92
	10	8.3	9.4	16.5	114
sTNF RII	10	1000.3	963.3	13.8	96
	10	90.3	90.7	10.2	100
	10	8.3	9.3	21.0	112

TNF- $\alpha$ Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
Control	0	900.3	883.7	4.1	98
	0	90.3	85.4	4.1	95
	0	8.3	8.3	40.4	100
IL-1 $\alpha$	10	900.3	849.1	5.5	94
	10	90.3	89.6	12.7	99
	10	8.3	8.8	16.0	106
IL-2	10	900.3	855.2	23.5	95
	10	90.3	90.8	7.9	101
	10	8.3	9.6	18.5	116
IL-3	10	900.3	836.5	23.5	93
	10	90.3	74.3	5.4	82
	10	8.3	8.2	29.2	98
IL-4	10	900.3	884.6	6.9	98
	10	90.3	89.5	8.5	99
	10	8.3	7.0	49.3	84
IL-6 sR	50	900.3	874.0	23.5	97
	50	90.3	77.8	13.8	86
	50	8.3	8.6	34.8	103
IL-7	10	900.3	871.9	6.3	97
	10	90.3	82.8	37.1	92





TNF- $\alpha$ Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
	10	8.3	7.6	22.9	91
IL-8	10	900.3	774.4	1.8	86
	10	90.3	83.4	13.5	92
	10	8.3	7.9	12.6	95
IL-11	10	900.3	901.8	1.5	100
	10	90.3	90.7	19.6	100
	10	8.3	9.3	36.8	112
IL-12	10	900.3	770.9	7.3	86
	10	90.3	77.4	15.8	86
	10	8.3	7.9	56.7	96
CNTF	10	900.3	920.1	6.0	102
	10	90.3	82.5	9.7	91
	10	8.3	8.7	18.9	105
G-CSF	10	900.3	1052.6	3.7	117
	10	90.3	95.6	20.7	106
	10	8.3	9.1	9.6	110
sgp130	1000	900.3	891.3	16.8	99
	1000	90.3	93.8	9.1	104
	1000	8.3	10.1	25.1	122
LIF R	50	900.3	781.5	20.7	87
	50	90.3	87.3	15.2	97
	50	8.3	9.1	12.1	110
OSM	10	900.3	862.1	10.6	96
	10	90.3	85.2	23.8	94
	10	8.3	7.4	54.1	89
TNF- $\beta$	10	900.3	804.0	24.7	89
	10	90.3	90.7	16.4	100
	10	8.3	7.7	32.3	92
IL-1 $\beta$	10	900.3	900.0	17.3	100
	10	90.3	83.1	16.6	92
	10	8.3	8.3	33.1	101
sTNF RI	10	900.3	833.0	21.8	93
	10	90.3	86.4	19.5	96
	10	8.3	6.7	21.6	80
sTNF RII	10	900.3	801.3	8.9	89
	10	90.3	93.6	3.0	104
	10	8.3	8.2	14.2	99

CRP Assay Specificity Test in Assay Buffer (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [CRP] ug/ml	Recovered [CRP] ug/ml	CV %	% Recovery



Control	0	50	53.0	16	106
	0	10	8.1	34	81
	0	0.75	0.7	13	91
Pentraxin-2/SAP	30	50	49.2	19	98
	30	10	8.9	9	89
	30	0.75	0.8	4	102
Pentraxin-3/TSG-14	10	50	40.6	7	81
	10	10	8.2	14	82
	10	0.75	0.7	5	100

## 8. Linearity

A plasma sample with low endogenous analyte levels was spiked with known levels of IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ , and CRP then diluted serially with the unspiked plasma. All assays showed an appropriate linear dilution response across the dilution range (500–2000-fold). Data are tabulated and graphed below.

### Dilution Linearity in Plasma, Multiplexed Assays (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)

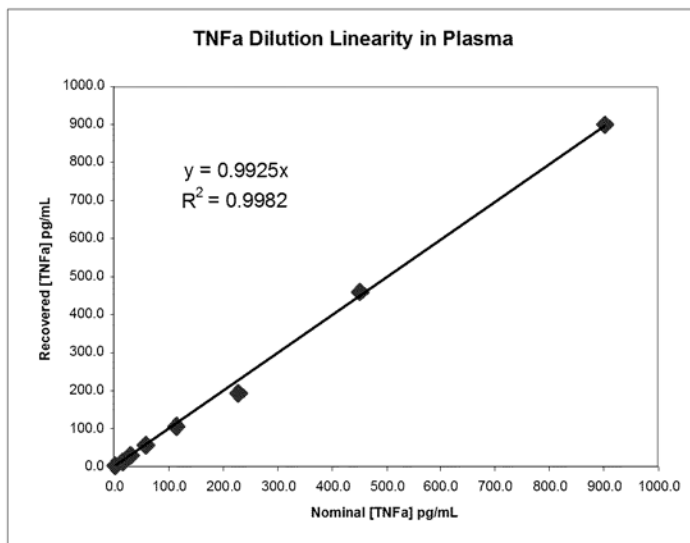
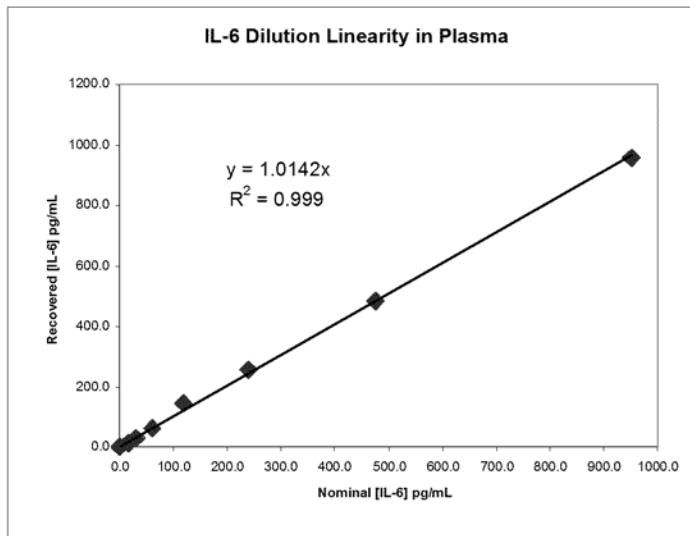
IL-6				
Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	[Expected] pg/ml	[Recovered] p	g/mL	CV %
950	950.5	958.1		7
	475.5	480.9		11
	238.0	256.1		18
	119.2	143.9		25
	59.8	62.3		3
	30.1	28.3		23
	15.3	13.3		34
	0.5	0.5		88
				100

TNF- $\alpha$				
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	[Expected] pg/ml	[Recovered] p	g/mL	CV %
900	902.7	899.2		11
	452.7	461.5		9
	227.7	194.6		6
	115.2	105.0		11
	59.0	56.1		2
	30.9	30.6		4
	16.8	14.9		26
	2.7	2.7		14
				100

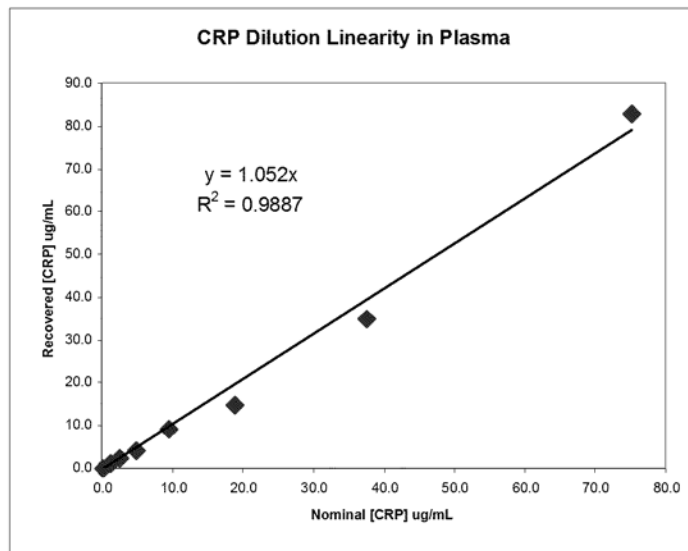
CRP				
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	[Expected] ug/ml	[Recovered] ug	/mL	CV %
75	75.1	82.8		34
	37.6	35.0		0
	18.8	14.7		10
	9.5	9.1		12
				96



	4.8	4.1	8	85
	2.4	2.4	7	98
	1.3	1.3	15	102
	0.1	0.1	29	100







## 9. Matrix Effects

Plasma or serum containing various potentially interfering factors or substances were spiked with known levels of analyte and the resulting recovery of the spiked analyte calculated after correction for endogenous analyte. None of the assays showed interference from icteric, hemolyzed, lipemic, or rheumatoid factor-positive samples as shown in the tables below

**NORMAL SERUM Sample: PromedDx 10739123 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	1019.1	14	1015.82	102
250	224.9	4	221.58	89
50	47.7	14	44.42	89
25	25.3	6	22.01	88
10	12.6	9	9.29	93
0	3.3	43	0.00	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	1019.1	14	1014.7	101
250	224.9	4	220.5	88
50	47.7	14	43.3	87
25	25.3	6	20.9	84
10	12.6	9	8.2	82
0	4.4	60	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
100	107.4	11	107.3	107
50	49.3	13	49.3	99
25	25.0	23	24.9	100
10	9.6	41	9.5	95
5	5.9	17	5.8	116



0	0.1	12	0.0	
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**LIPEMIC SERUM Sample: Vital Products SFB8315 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	872.5	15	868.8	87
250	214.1	4	210.4	84
50	47.8	15	44.1	88
25	24.5	6	20.8	83
10	14.4	19	10.7	107
0	3.7	12	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	965.0	17	962.8	96
250	230.8	15	228.6	91
50	56.6	40	54.4	109
25	25.4	13	23.2	93
10	14.8	14	12.6	126
0	2.2	32	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
100	119.4	36	119.1	119
50	54.2	40	53.9	108
25	24.4	25	24.1	96
10	10.4	9	10.1	101
5	5.8	15	5.6	111
0	0.2	12	0.0	

**HEMOLYZED PLASMA Sample: Stanford W070509118560 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	1010.9	10	1010.0	101
250	274.6	13	273.7	109
50	51.6	2	50.7	101
25	26.8	11	25.9	104
10	10.5	12	9.6	96
0	0.9	41	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	898.7	14	895.1	90
250	223.5	12	219.9	88
50	44.2	11	40.6	81
25	27.7	23	24.1	96
10	12.0	23	8.4	84
0	3.6	14	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
100	119.6	10	119.5	119
50	54.0	10	53.9	108
25	22.5	14	22.4	90
10	11.6	3	11.5	115
5	5.6	11	5.5	110
0	0.1	4	0.0	



**ICTERIC SERUM Sample: PromedDx 10739123 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	986.0	9	983.4	98
250	282.4	12	279.7	112
50	55.8	10	53.2	106
25	28.1	7	25.4	102
10	11.8	16	9.2	92
0	2.6	53	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	969.8	5	967.4	97
250	219.6	22	217.2	87
50	45.0	11	42.6	85
25	24.5	5	22.1	88
10	10.6	22	8.2	82
0	2.4	17	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
100	109.5	8	108.4	108
50	41.7	80	40.6	81
25	29.6	14	28.4	114
10	10.1	11	9.0	90
5	6.4	19	5.3	106
0	1.1	3	0.0	

**RHEUMATOID FACTOR POSITIVE SERUM Sample: Vital Products SFB7884 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	1118.0	10	1097.9	110
250	286.9	9	266.7	107
50	77.7	13	57.6	115
25	46.3	12	26.2	105
10	30.4	6	10.2	102
0	20.1	6	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
1000	1116.4	11	1112.3	111
250	228.9	5	224.8	90
50	48.0	13	43.9	88
25	24.2	13	20.1	80
10	14.0	20	9.9	99
0	4.1	27	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous % Recovery	
100	110.9	18	105.8	106
50	49.1	17	44.0	88
25	34.2	29	29.0	116
10	15.5	9	10.3	103
5	10.9	11	5.7	114



0	5.2	28	0.0	
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## 10. Stability

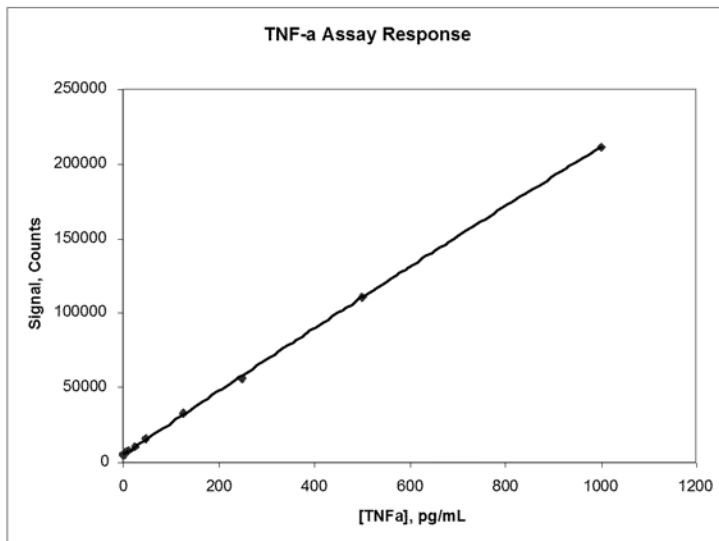
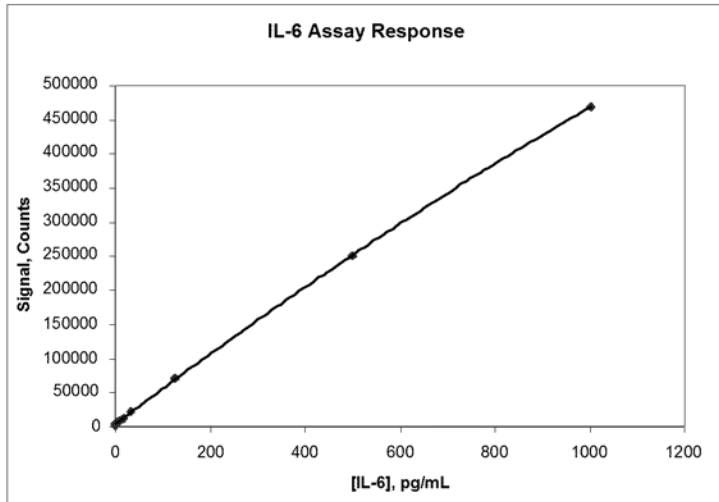
The stability of component reagents for the present assays has been studied individually in lots made previous to the present study. The capture surfaces were stable for over 12 months, and the detection conjugates for at least six months. Stability of the integrated cartridges used for this validation report stored at 4C is being monitored and an updated report will include this data. Cartridges are initially assigned an expiry date of three months post manufacture.

## Conclusions:

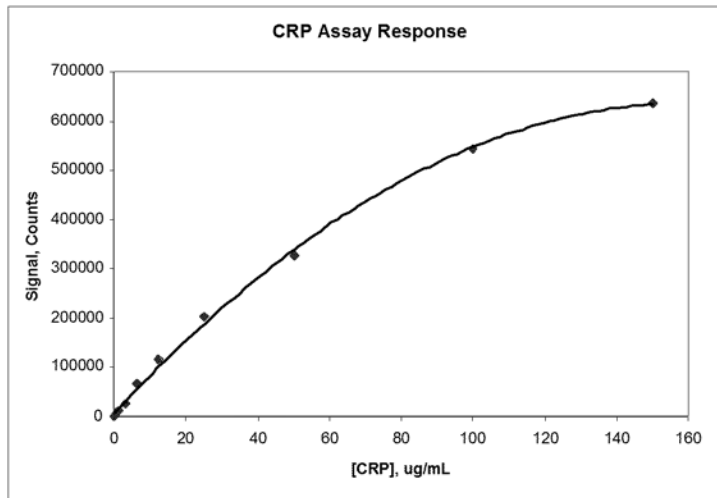
The Theranos IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ , CRP assay multiplex has been shown to give more accurate and precise results for three independently calibrated cartridge lots and all the many instruments used than current "gold standard" reference methods. Assay calibration has been established using WHO or other standard materials. Lower and upper levels of quantitation have been established. The assays are specific for their respective analytes when tested against potential cross reactants and are not interfered with by agents that may cause problems in immunoassays. Dilution linearity is satisfactory for all the assays. Assay cartridge stability studies are underway.



## Appendix A









## Appendix B

### Comparison of Theranos Systems TNFa Calibration to Other Available Commercial Methods

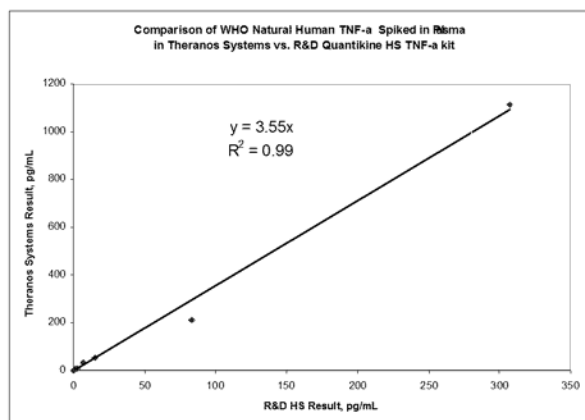
Plasma samples were spiked with WHO TNF-a Standard (NIBSC code 88/786) and run in Theranos Systems and in R&D Quantikine High Sensitivity Human TNF- $\alpha$  ELISA (catalogue # HSTA00D). The results are shown below.

#### THERANOS SYSTEMS Recovery of TNFa WHO Standard Spiked in Plasma

Nominal Spike		1pg/mL = 0.0465 IU/mL			
[TNFa] IU/ml	[TNFa] pg/ml	Calc. pg/mL	Minus Endogenous	Calc. IU/mL	% Recovery
0	0	5.2	0.0		
0.1	2.5	8.1	2.9	0.1	118
0.2	5	11.5	6.3	0.3	126
0.5	10	14.9	9.7	0.5	97
1.2	25	35.9	30.8	1.4	123
2.3	50	57.6	52.4	2.4	105
11.6	250	217.6	212.5	9.9	85
46.5	1000	1120.6	1115.4	51.9	112

#### R&D QUANTI KINE HS ELISA Recovery of TNFa WHO Standard Spiked in Plasma

Nominal Spike		1pg/mL = 0.0465 IU/mL			
[TNFa] IU/ml	[TNFa] pg/ml	Calc. pg/mL	Minus Endogenous	Calc. IU/mL	% Recovery
0	0	0.2	0.0		
0.1	2.5	1.0	0.8	0.04	32
0.2	5	1.8	1.6	0.07	32
0.5	10	3.2	3.0	0.14	30
1.2	25	7.3	7.1	0.3	28
2.3	50	15.0	14.8	0.7	30
11.6	250	83.6	83.4	3.9	33
46.5	1000	308.0	307.7	14.3	31



## **Exhibit 3**

## Message

**From:** Elizabeth Holmes [/O=Theranos Organization/OU=First Administrative Group/CN=Recipients/CN=EHolmes]  
**Sent:** 10/11/2008 1:08:44 AM  
**To:** Power, Aidan C [aidan.c.power@pfizer.com]; Lipset, Craig [Craig.Lipset@pfizer.com]  
**CC:** Marc Thibonnier [mthibonnier@theranos.com]  
**Subject:** RE: Follow up to our meeting

Dear Aidan and Craig:

It is with great pleasure that I write to inform you we have now achieved our study goals.

In the interest of finishing as quickly as possible, we varied the enrollment schedules of some of our existing and new patients, as you will see in the attached.

Throughout this process, we have been compiling the data for our final report. I am very pleased to present you with the final data -- see the attached study report. We also have compiled all the raw data and included it for your reference in the attached spreadsheet. The report has been written in such a way that it could be circulated to people unfamiliar with Theranos.

Our 15 month study has validated the efficacy of our technology. We now have the foundation to apply it to  
 1) fast-tracking the approvals and label expansions of key therapies through generation of predictive and higher integrity data, faster and  
 2) significantly cutting costs to Pfizer's current study budgets by eliminating the need for sample shipments, overhead and analytical costs in the process.

The ability to profile protein time-courses in this way is allowing for predictive correlations to be extracted from biomarker measurements. One of our pharma partners quantified the impact of Theranos Systems accelerating time-to-market at \$1M a day after seeing correlations in a 6 month study that the conventional infrastructure took over 2 years to uncover. This work is on label expansion of an existing drug into a new indication; the ability to rapidly generate data on efficacy dynamics for market expansion has further implications for the revenue of the drug.

Since our meeting, we have cemented thoughts on the most powerful application of these systems for Pfizer. I wanted to wait until we received some highly anticipated return-on-investment data to share with you and we will now compile an overview of our systems and potential program(s) for you.

We have worked very hard on the angiogenesis program for a long time and are looking forward to translating our work into significant value creation for Pfizer.

Let us know if there is a convenient time next week for us to connect on this and next steps.

With my very best regards,  
 Elizabeth.

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Elizabeth – thank you for this. And thank you for hosting us on Tuesday. Aidan



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### Theranos Angiogenesis Study Report

Prepared for Dr. Aidan Power  
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#### **Document Outline:**

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#### **Introduction to Theranos:**

Accurately, rapidly, and effectively profiling the efficacy dynamics of a therapy in clinical studies is an unmet need that has long challenged the conventional blood testing infrastructure.

Theranos has demonstrated in clinical studies that more frequent longitudinal time-series measurements on fresh whole blood samples with a multiplexed platform that eliminates the noise (and inability to accurately characterize very broad dynamic ranges) of conventional tests is imperative to effectively characterizing physiological changes and the efficacy of any intervention.

Theranos' wirelessly integrated data analytical system allows for 'baseline' profiles of pathway dynamics to be created and updated automatically as data is generated in the field. If needed, analyte selection or frequency of sampling can be adjusted at any time during the study based on the data coming in.

In future studies within a given indication, the data analytical infrastructure can be used for predictive modeling wherein new patient data can be indexed against the stored baseline profiles for earlier reads on efficacy dynamics and dose-response.



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### **Background on Theranos Studies:**

Every day gained in getting a new brand to market can be measured in millions of dollars.

Time is a major factor of cost of development of a new drug. For years the pharmaceutical industry has worked to drive every day possible out of the development process, and has reached a point where the physical limitations around the timelines for statistically significant data acquisition primarily determine the time to market.

Theranos Systems revolutionize those timeline constraints by enabling instant access to higher quality data and exponentially faster reads on efficacy and safety dynamics from the initiation of clinical trials. In doing so, Theranos is laying the foundation of a new growth model for pharma.

Theranos Systems radically impact revenues and growth on new and existing drugs in ways that were previously not possible:

- ◆ Faster approvals and studies - Immediate access to results enables immediate decision making and planning; early reads on efficacy dynamics and dose optimization for sub-populations through more comprehensive longitudinal PK/PD profiling
- ◆ Reimbursement and differentiation - Concrete reads on efficacy dynamics and visibility into mechanisms of action to optimize compounds dynamically
- ◆ Rapid access to multiple markets pre and post-approval - early reads on efficacy through trends in the change in rate of key markers allow for rapid label expansion
- ◆ Amelioration of safety concerns – more accurate reads on actual pathway dynamics enable rapid optimization where beneficial and delineation of patient sub-populations

### **Economic Impact of Theranos Studies to Pharma:**

Based on Theranos' previous experience, predictive modeling and more comprehensive longitudinal profiling has resulted in the demonstration of meaningful dose-response and efficacy dynamics profiles in 6 month timeframes where the conventional infrastructure took two years and was still not able to generate hard correlations. An 18 month time-savings, not to mention the ability to gain insight into methods for optimization for label expansion, can conservatively be equated to hundreds of millions of dollars gained. With industry estimates at \$1-3M a day for the value of each day gained in time to market, even 6 months saved ranges between \$180M and \$540M in return on investment.

Equally, once the infrastructure has been implemented, future studies are requiring about 25% fewer patients, reducing the patient costs, number of sites required, assay development, reagent screening, and infrastructure costs for shipping and processing samples through ambulatory point-of-care monitoring.

Overall savings on 6 month trials once the data analytical infrastructure has been established have averaged 50% of the cost of running an equivalent trial through the conventional infrastructure, further saving millions of dollars. As the data analytical engine evolves after the first 6 month study, costs are further reduced in each follow-on study, covering the cost of Theranos infrastructure and units many times over.

Ultimately though, the greatest economic return on investment lies in the ability to expand percentage market ownership through visibility into pathway dynamics that enables rapid characterization of responder populations in ways previously not possible. This capability enables commercialization of 'targeted blockbusters' by redefining a company's historical success rate in realizing the target product profile of each drug once it hits the market.





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### Angiogenesis Program Overview:

The primary objective of the present program was to demonstrate the functionality of Theranos Systems in such a way that future studies could fully leverage the power of comprehensive longitudinal time-series profiling for rapid compound optimization and development.

For this program, Theranos was asked to develop multiplexed point-of-care assays for VEGF and PlGF for use in monitoring patient pharmacodynamic response to anti-angiogenesis therapies. Because the development of VEGFR2 in that multiplex was desirable as a tool for use in future studies, Theranos developed the assay and included it in the point-of-care multiplex.

In this program, Theranos validated not only functional equivalence, but superior performance specifications of the Theranos multiplex to each of the respective 'gold-standard' kits.

An Interim Report on Assay Development was submitted to Pfizer in Q2 '07 upon successful completion of assay development.

As planned for at the interim update meeting with Pfizer, the first patient began participating in the study in July of 2007. In order to fast-track the program timeline, Theranos contracted an independent site - Tennessee Oncology Center.

Enrollment of Sutent patients at this site was very slow; from the time patient screening began (early 2007) and after discussions with respective members of the Pfizer team, the protocol was revised several times to increase the frequency of monitoring but reduce the total number of patients and shorten the monitoring cycles per patient. Likewise, enrollment criteria were broadened to include patients on other therapies with whom trends in the relevant markers could also be profiled.

In doing so, statistical significance in meeting the study goals could still be ensured. Multiple IRB submissions were filed. Final IRB and Informed Consent Forms were included in two interim update reports sent to Pfizer.

#### *Goals of Study:*

1. Generate preliminary data on VEGF and PLGF trends in cancer patients while assessing the use of the Theranos System in the hands of clinicians and patients.
2. Obtain feedback and recommendations from clinical staff.
3. Assess the use of the Theranos System in the hands of ambulatory patients at home.
4. Assess the Ambulatory Bioinformatics Communications System<sup>1</sup> including the physician and patient web portals as well as the data reports generated.

#### *Study design:*

Patient screening began in January 2007, once the final site was selected, enrollment began. In July of 2007, the first patient was enrolled in the trial. This trial consisted of very ill late-stage (4<sup>th</sup> line) cancer patients with various tumor types receiving a variety of therapies at the Sarah Cannon Research Center at Tennessee Oncology (TNONC) in Nashville, Tennessee. The patients in the study typically resided in very remote locations across the eastern US. Almost all patients were not computer literate, and most were from low income families, unable to afford private telephone service.

The Theranos angiogenesis monitoring system was evaluated for clinical efficacy and as a means of more accurately and effectively monitoring cancer therapy and the progression of solid

<sup>1</sup> The Ambulatory Bioinformatics Communication System (formerly known as ABCS) was rebranded as TheranOS, the Theranos Operating System.



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tumor cancers from a mechanism-of-action perspective. 32 patients were enrolled. Various cycles of therapies were monitored as well as physical changes in tumor size.

Four of the patients retracted consent to the study, three of them due to family problems and one due to mental and physical instability. Thus, Theranos increased the targeted enrollment number to ensure that the goal of demonstrating performance across significantly significant patient numbers would be met. That goal has now been achieved. To realize the goal, some patients had extended (60 day) monitoring periods.

Since Theranos has the ability to continue monitoring patients under the existing IRB and given the power of some of the correlations which are becoming apparent, Theranos may continue monitoring those patients for an extended period of time.

Enrollment was unpredictable and slow. All installations and shipments completed for this study were done on-demand with less than 24 hours. As part of the installation procedure, Theranos' client solutions team has performed at-home installations and pick-ups for many weak patients.

For each patient, a total of up to 14 time points were collected during the month-long analysis period, 3-4 time points taken at the clinic and the other 10-11 time points taken in-home. Both finger-stick and venous samples were taken during each clinic visit, while only finger-stick samples were run in-home. The venous draw samples were run on the Theranos System in the clinic at the time of the draw; these samples were also processed so that the plasma and/or serum was analyzed using a reference method.

Venous samples were processed using reference methods and provide an archive of 41 anti-coagulated plasma and serum samples which were frozen and have subsequently been analyzed at Theranos.

#### **Theranos System Overview:**

The Theranos System is comprised of consumer-oriented readers, single-use cartridges containing assay chemistry and controls, and a data collection system that communicates through cellular networks with the instrument to provide assay protocols and to compute and display results.

The steps required of a new patient are to 1) take the machine out of the box and 2) plug it into a power source. The touch-screen then walks each patient through the process of poking his/her finger, depositing blood into the cartridge, and placing the cartridge in the reader drawer. The instrument then processes the assays and sends the data through the cellular network in real-time to a secure web-portal.

Theranos Systems allow for quantitative, multiplexed longitudinal time-series measurements to map correlations between the rate of change of blood-borne markers over time to surrogate and clinical end-points.

#### Specifications:

- ❖ Designed for at home use. Can also be used in physician's offices, ICU, and laboratories.
- ❖ Multiplexed measurement of biomarkers.
- ❖ Customizable for different/new assays on demand.
- ❖ Average 6 measurements per cartridge
- ❖ Serial measurements to comprehensively profile pharmacodynamic response through trends
- ❖ Runs fresh whole blood, plasma or serum samples



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- ❖ Finger-stick – small sample size
- ❖ Mix and match selection of analytes on demand.
- ❖ Wide measurement range
  - pg/mL – mg/mL (1 billion fold)
- ❖ High sensitivity
  - 0.2 pg/mL (2 parts per 10-billion)
- ❖ Analyte Recovery: ~100 %
- ❖ System CV post-calibration (inter-intra reader, cartridge, and assay): < 10 %
- ❖ On-board chemistry controls
- ❖ Factory calibration (no user calibration)
- ❖ Wireless communication of results to appropriate user through cellular network
- ❖ Proprietary algorithms to interpret time trend results

The existence of a technology infrastructure for home, real-time blood monitoring allows collection of information which cannot be obtained using conventional blood testing scenarios:

- ❖ Small sample (finger-stick) + more frequent sampling of a small subset of analytes enables:
  - Identification of appropriate analytes (greatly helped by more frequent sampling)
  - Earlier detection of efficacy and safety and acute problems so intervention (for example, dose modification or change in drug type) can be more effective
  - Convenience of monitoring through-out a time-course before an event
- ❖ Higher sample integrity; real-time sample analysis on fresh whole blood on a standardized platform which can be deployed at any location (world-wide) eliminates assay inaccuracy associated with commercially available tests performed on samples which are “old” by the time they are analyzed.
  - Elimination of erroneous results (caused by analyte instability ) and inherent errors in data and patient correlations (caused by processing data at various contract locations)



For this study, an instrument was deployed in the home of each patient; four others were installed at the Cancer Center.

Three assays were performed simultaneously in multiplex by the system on a finger-stick sample of fresh whole blood. The analytes were Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor (VEGF), soluble VEGF receptor R2 (sVEGFR2, usually referred to as VEGFR2) and Placental Growth Factor (PLGF). Each assay was controlled using within-cartridge control measurements.



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The system was calibrated at Theranos. Multiple cartridge lots were produced each with successively more clinically relevant specifications once samples were received from patients in the trial, as samples were not available during assay validation. Each lot was independently calibrated.

*Traceability of calibration:* Calibration is traced to authentic analytes dissolved at known concentrations in a plasma-like matrix. Calibration materials are prepared as mixed solutions of the three analytes. Assignment of calibrator concentrations is then made to values found for measurements of calibrators using reference assays.

*System Performance Goals:*

Assay	Reportable low pg/mL	Reportable high pg/mL	Precision CV, %
VEGF	20	10,000	10
VEGFR2	150	15,000	10
PLGF	5	1,000	10

*Assay ranges achieved:*

The goals for each assay's dynamic range were achieved. Due to the inability to receive samples for calibration at the beginning of the studies, the upper limit of calibration for VEGF was restricted to 3,000 pg/mL in the first cartridge lots, but then extended<sup>2</sup> to 10,000 pg/mL. For early cartridge lots the PLGF assay lower limit of sensitivity was 50 pg/mL. Therefore, many early results for PLGF were out-of-range low ("OORL"). Lots produced after receiving samples for calibration have reportable ranges below 20 pg/mL.

*Specificity:*

The specificity of the assays depends on the pairs of antibodies chosen for each assay. In the first instance, we rely on the antibody vendor information. Selected pairs are known to have good specificity in ELISA assays. Key issues for these analytes are (1) the structural relationship of VEGF and (2) the fact that VEGF binds to sVEGFR2. We have shown that the Theranos assay system is not affected by the presence of VEGF and VEGFR2 and PLGF in the same samples. In many patients in this study, the drug Avastin is used. This drug is an antibody that binds to VEGF. It is obvious that ELISA assays for VEGF (and perhaps VEGFR2) using antibody pairs are likely to be interfered with by Avastin. As documented below, Theranos assays for VEGF and VEGFR2 appear to function with minimal interference from Avastin. In contrast, the selected reference assay for VEGF is strongly interfered by Avastin.

Theranos System Performance:

*Assay accuracy:*

Accuracy has been evaluated by analysis of clinical samples. Two sets of samples have been used: (1) A set of 12 serum samples from cancer patients (obtained from a commercial vendor), (2) 41 archived serum and plasma samples from this study. Because Avastin was used to treat many of the patients in the TNONC study and this antibody strongly interferes with the reference method, we used the commercially available samples for VEGF assay evaluation.

Twelve serum samples were assayed (singlicate) in the Theranos system and in duplicate for the reference method with the following results:

VEGF:  $y \text{ (Theranos)} = 0.785 \times (\text{reference}) + 95.2$ ;  $R^2 = 0.99$ . Range 96 – 1985 pg/mL. One sample was rejected from the analysis giving very high results in the Theranos system and low

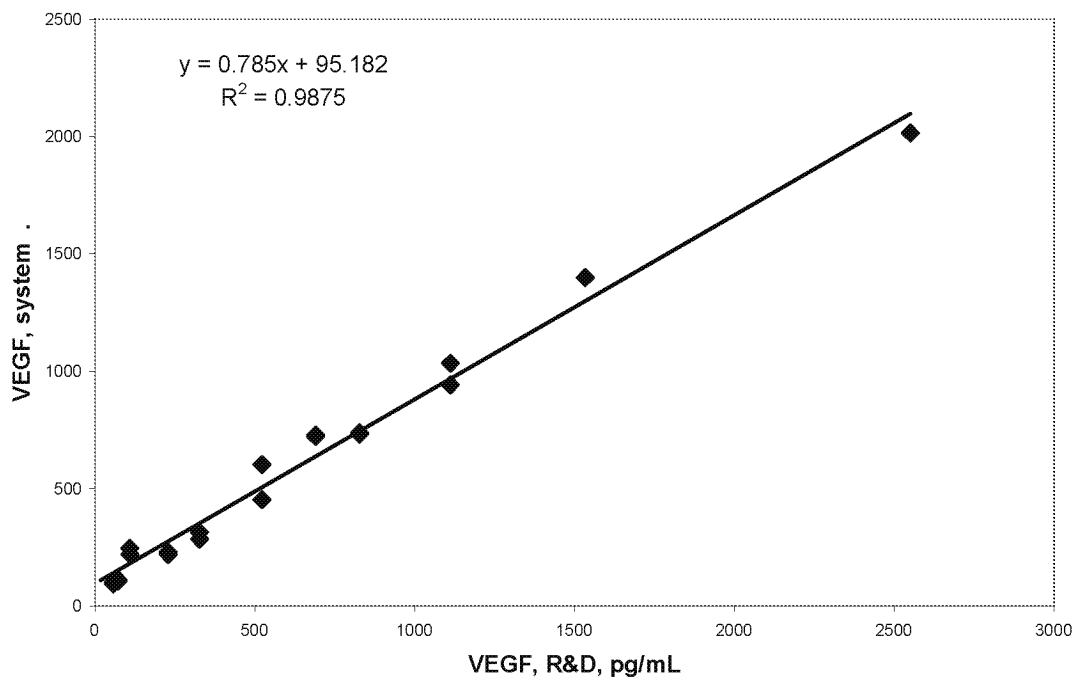
<sup>2</sup> All three assays have a linear dose-responses extending far above the highest calibrator used.



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results in the reference assay. Based on the study data, it seems likely this patient was being treated with the drug Avastin, which interferes with the reference assay.

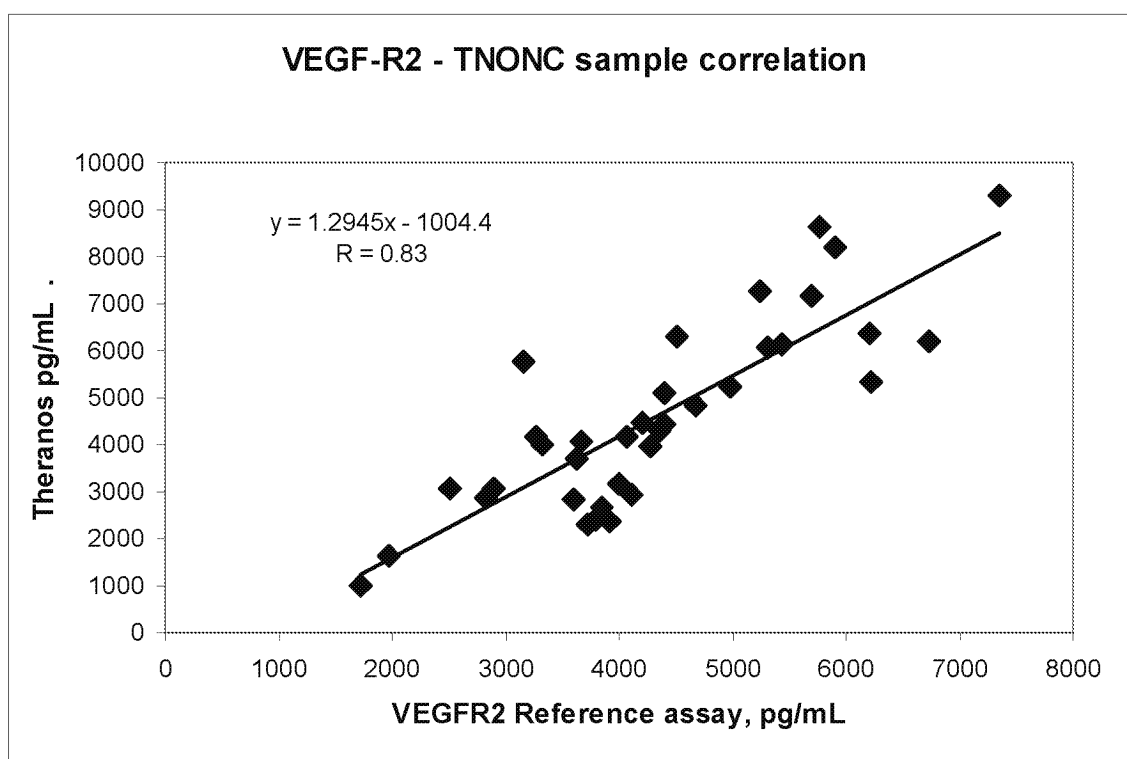
### Single cartridge clinical results



For VEGFR2, 39 TNONC samples were assayed in triplicate in the Theranos system and duplicate for the reference method. The results were:  $y$  (Theranos) =  $1.29 x$  (reference) + 1004;  $R=0.83$ . Range 1015 – 9285 pg/mL.



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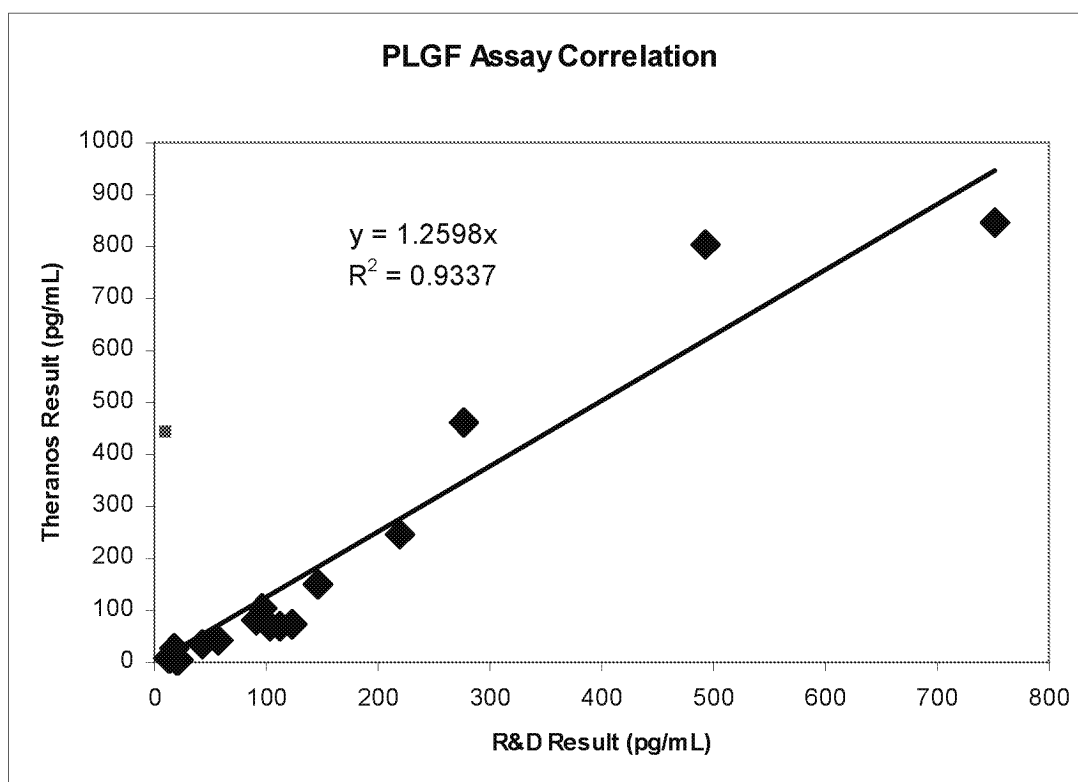
For the initial PLGF samples analyzed by Theranos in the field and with the reference method the results fell mostly in the undetectable range of both methods. Once the Theranos calibration was re-optimized, values became detectable from 5-17 pg/mL in the out-of-range-low venous samples sent to Theranos.

A significant correlation was achieved during validation on normal serum samples from twenty pregnant women assayed in quadruplicate. They were analyzed on both the Theranos system and the reference R&D Systems kit. The following results were obtained:  $y$  (Theranos) =  $1.26 \cdot x$  (R&D Systems);  $R = 0.96$ . The average within sample CV for the Theranos results was 9%. One sample (shown in pink) below gave discrepant results.





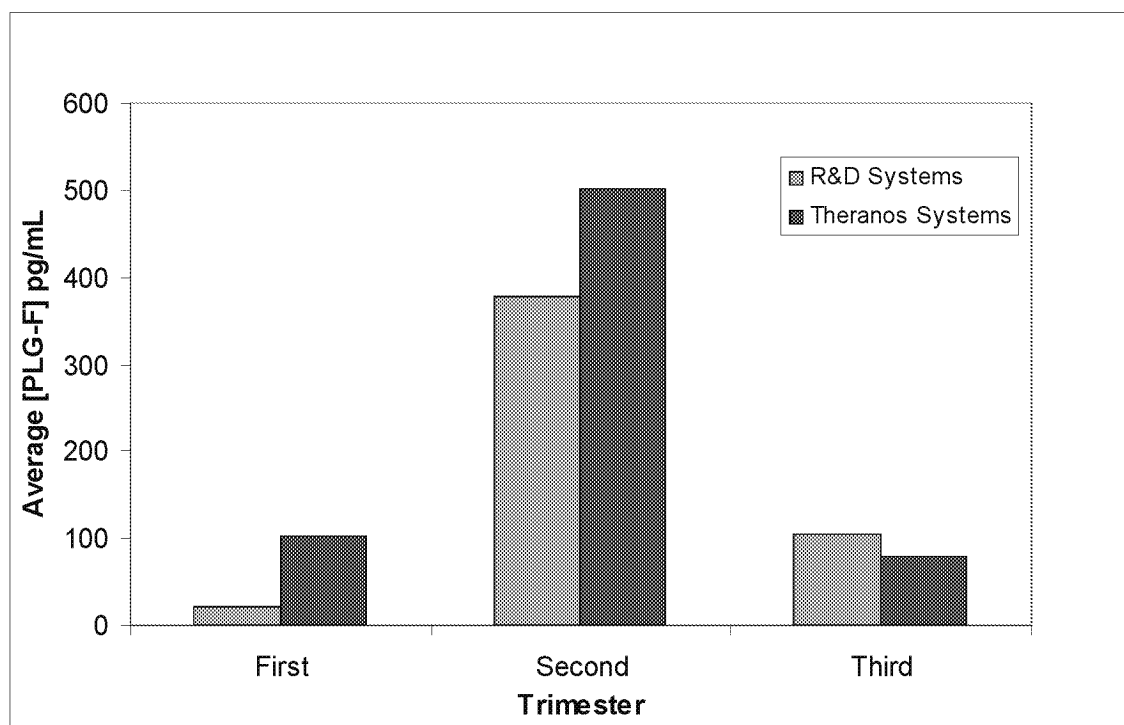
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When the results for patients were segregated by trimester and averaged, the concordance shown below was found.



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*Effect of Avastin on the reference VEGF assay:*

Comparison of reference and Theranos VEGF assay results for venous samples were not correlated. Many Theranos results were in the thousands of pg/mL where reference assay gave a low value. Since it was noted that many of the patients had been treated with Avastin which binds to VEGF, Theranos did a study of spike recovery for the reference method. VEGF (400 pg/mL) was added to each sample and the assay repeated. Results are shown below:

Avastin Present	VEGF average, pg/mL Ref	VEGF average, pg/mL Theranos
N	149	588
Y	136	8359
VEGF spike recovery, %		
N	66.5	
Y	-1.3	

It is evident that Avastin completely blocks the reference assay response. Presumably, Avastin binds at a site on VEGF close to or identical with that recognized by one of the antibodies used in the reference method. The reference assay thus responds only to free VEGF whereas the Theranos assay is not blocked and measures both Avastin-bound and free VEGF.





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*Assay precision:*

## Inter-Instrument Precision:

Venous samples from patients were run across four instruments.

Assay	Reportable low pg/mL	Reportable high pg/mL	Precision CV, %
VEGF	20	10,000	8.0
VEGFR2	150	15,000	7.3
PLGF	5	1,000	9.2

Precision in comparison to available reference methods was evaluated during calibration. Singlicate measurements from six instruments were used next to commercially available 'gold-standards'. Theranos adjusted the target range after obtaining clinical samples. Due to the superior performance characteristics of Theranos' assay next to commercial standards, obvious variances are seen where the reference methods report OORL.

## Single lot calibration data:

Analyte	Range (pg/mL)	Average CV, %
VEGF (lot 3)	30 – 10,000	12.0
VEGF (lot 1)	30 – 3,000	10.0
VEGFR2 (lot 3)	1,000 – 10,000	4.8
VEGFR2 (lot 1)	50 – 800	17.6
PLGF (lot 3)	5 – 780	26.9
PLGF (lot 1)	50 – 800	9.1

Precision was also measured by analysis of the 41 archived clinical samples in assays and for VEGF 12 commercial samples.

Analyte	Range (pg/mL)	Average CV, %
VEGF	30 – 10,000	16.7
VEGF <sup>3</sup>	96 – 1985	5.7
VEGFR2	1,000 – 10,000	20.4
PLGF	5 – 780	28.7

*Dilution linearity:*

Data gathered during lot calibration.

VEGF, pg/mL	Recovery, %
10000	(100)
2970	102
990	95
297	105
100	109
30	105
10	101

<sup>3</sup> Commercial samples



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VEGFR2, pg/mL	Recovery, %
10560	(100)
7920	92.9
5280	100.9
3960	104.8
2640	97.7
1320	100.8

PLGF, pg/mL	Recovery, %
780	100.0
312	87.6
156	102.8
47	106.3
16	92.4
5	99.4

For all assays, recovery was close to 100 % in the reportable range.

*Limit of detection (LOD):*

Data gathered during calibration. The LOD is defined at a 95 % confidence level.

Analyte	LOD, pg/mL
VEGF	< 20
VEGFR2	< 200
PLGF <sup>4</sup>	< 20

**Theranos Field Study:**

The system has been deployed to patient's homes and the TNONC study clinic and has downloaded protocols and uploaded data wirelessly. Some patients used direct telephonic communications (POTs modems) if they were worried about cell reception. Data for every patient has been profiled on a secure, Pfizer-specific server.

Field Performance Overview:

In this report we document results from:

- ∞ 27 patients (41% female and 59% male)
- ∞ 13 cancer types
- ∞ 38 Instruments
  - 27 instruments deployed to patients' homes
  - 4 instruments deployed to the clinical site in Nashville, TN
  - 4 updated instruments to replace the readers at the clinical site such that the latest design revolution is deployed at the site

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<sup>4</sup> Later stage cartridge lots



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- 3 were used to replace malfunctioning readers in the field (2 at clinic - one with communication issue, one mechanical due to user error; 1 at patient's home with mechanical issues from shipping)
- ∞ 445 cartridges (approximately 1300 assay results)
  - This number includes cartridges run in-house on archived plasma as well as results gathered in-field

Data acquisition has proven feasible in the home setting. There were instruments in the field operating in extreme temperature conditions (from very hot, no A/C to A/C turned to the maximum) as well as in very diverse locations (from RV's to log cabins in the middle of forests), in remote, difficult to reach areas where poor cellular reception is prevalent.

The instruments have been deployed across three states, including Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Tennessee. As mentioned, typical turnaround time for installation and patient at-home test was less than 24 hours without notice.

In monitoring this multiplex of analytes at far greater frequency than ever before, considerable patient-response variation can be seen across different sub-patient populations, therapies, and cancer types.

When we look at the average results from each patient and the variation seen for each patient, it is evident that the patients vary drastically:

	VEGF	VEGFR2	PLGF
	Avg., pg/mL	Avg., pg/mL	Avg., pg/mL
Maximum	13,584	6,317	410
Minimum	47.5	368	37.3

**By evaluating sample statistics such as these, one can identify patients who are anomalous and who may benefit from therapy modification.**

For example, of the 13 patients with colon cancer we see one subject with an average VEGF of 13,600 pg/mL and another with an average of 255 pg/mL whereas most of the patients had VEGF values quite closely clustered at 1000 - 5000 pg/mL. Similarly, we see some subjects who show very little variation in analyte values and others with wide variations presumably related to response (high or low) to therapy.

#### Trial Data:

The following raw trial data is included in the appended spreadsheet:

1. Clinic visit diagnostics (Patient characteristics and Clinical assay results)
2. Clinic visit pivot table (clinical results presented as a customizable pivot table)
3. Patient aggregate data (Compliance data, Result averages and CVs by patient and averages by cancer type)
4. All field analyte data results (from the Theranos system presented by patient in a filtered table format [sort-able])
5. Treatment data (drugs used and dosage)
6. Individual end-of-study results (patient evaluation of system)
7. Compilation and summary of end-of-study survey results
8. Data transmission statistics

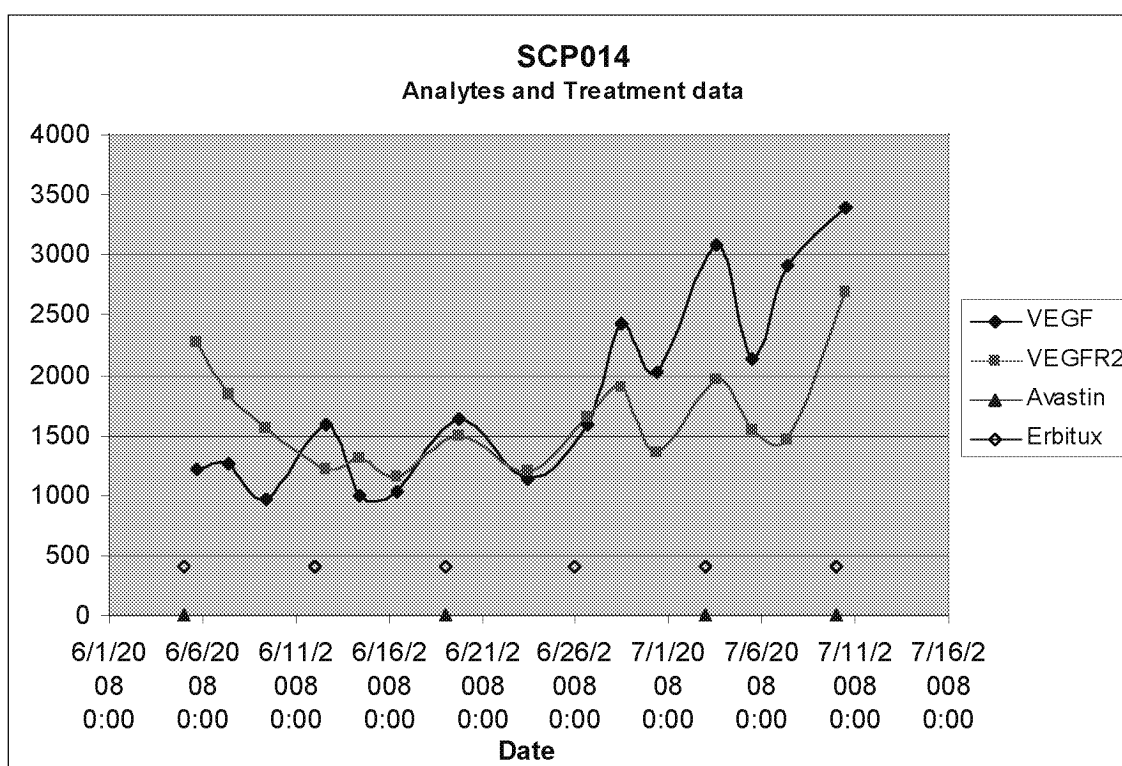


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Evaluation of time course results from individual patients:

The study data demonstrates that in a larger, statistically controlled study, where the endpoint is directly proportional with patient outcome, e.g., a RECIST Score, a correlation between analyte dynamics and patient response to treatment would be generated.

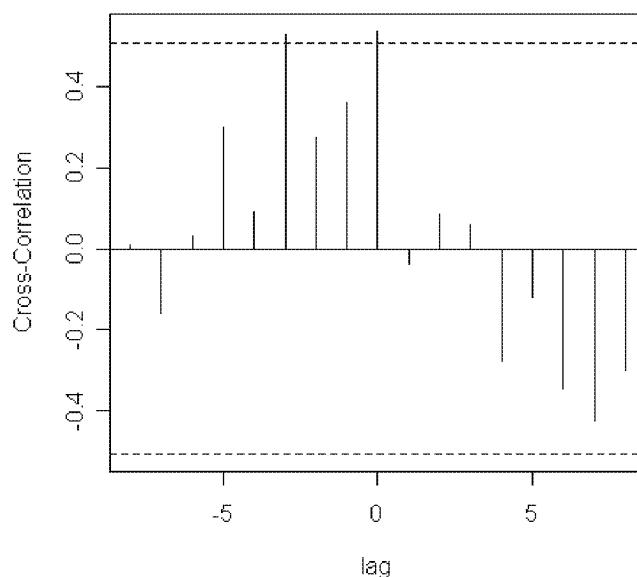
To showcase the ability to profile predictive correlations between treatment and response profiles, we selected data from two patients -- 14 and 12. Due to patient 14's clinic schedule (first figure below), we were able to collect data following multiple infusion dates, allowing limited statistical analysis to be performed that correlates analyte levels with treatment administration. The cross-correlation function (second figure below) looking at VEGF and VEGFR2 blood levels for patient 14 shows a positive correlation at a cadence of 3 data points. This coincides with the patient's weekly clinic visits during which the patient receives the Avastin infusions.



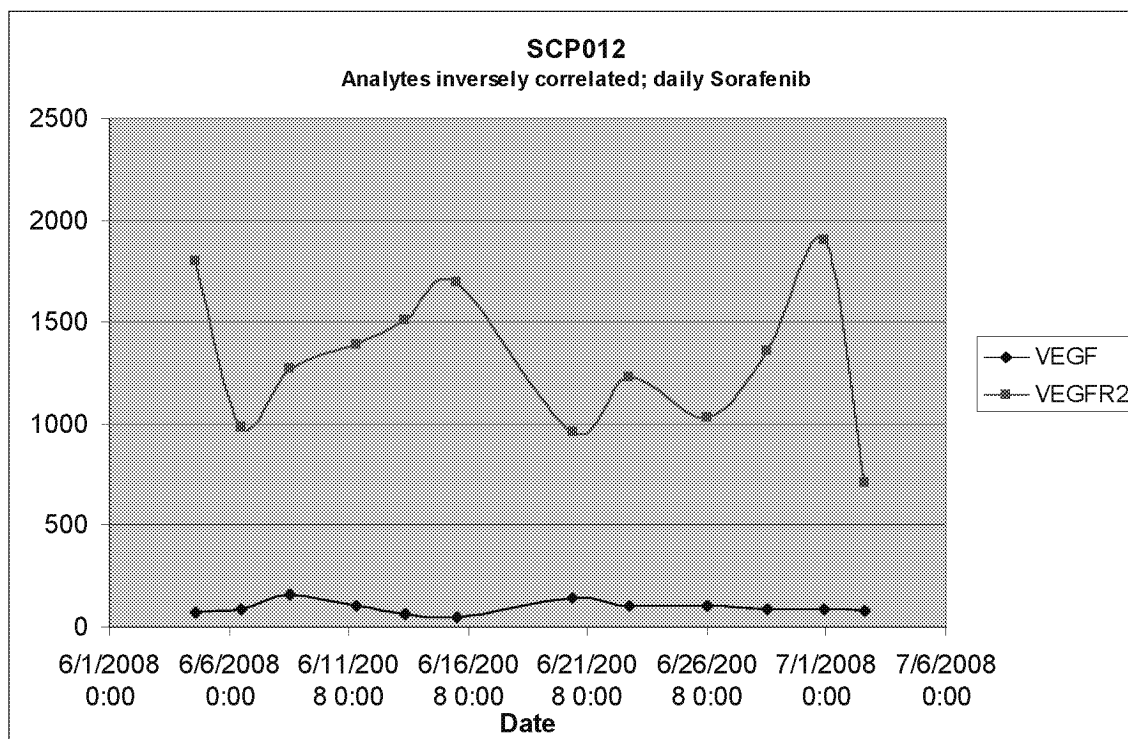
The change in rate of the parameters can be correlated to progress, seen again below in a correlation plot:



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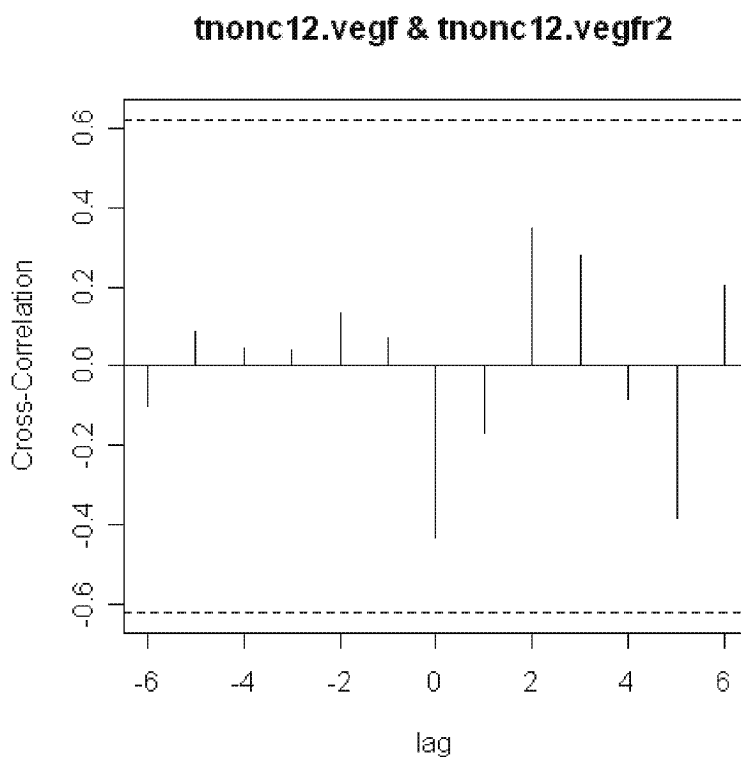
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For patient 12 (first figure below), we observe an inverse correlation between VEGF and VEGFR2 blood levels. This suggests that the blood analytes behave differently with different drug treatments, pointing at distinct pathways of drug activity (second figure below).





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For most patients analyzed, the sample size and sample numbers did not provide sufficient statistical power to derive a statistically significant conclusion but some clinical endpoint measurements were accessible to correlate analyte vectors and their rates of change with time to the patient's progression and response to treatment.



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Patient average VEGF and VEGFR2 data by cancer type:

Patient ID	Cancer type	Main Treatment	Average VEGF (pg/ml)	Average VEGFR2 (pg/ml)
SCP001	Adenocarcinoma	Sutent	47.5	2592
SCP006	Breast Cancer	Avastin	2082	2662
SCP010	Breast Cancer	Avastin	2055	3040
SCP008	Breast Cancer	Sorafenib	98	1863
SCP021	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	4677	3646
SCP027	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	1093	4863
SCP029	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	3612	5658
SCP003	Colorectal Cancer	Sutent	72	2798
SCP007	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	3860	2350
SCP009	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	1840	368
SCP022	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	Patient dropped	N/A
SCP014	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	1826	1634
SCP019	Colorectal Cancer	N/A	Patient dropped	N/A
SCP016	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	3006	2143
SCP031	Colorectal Cancer	Avastin	13584	5463
SCP024	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	255	1540
SCP028	Colorectal Cancer	Sorafenib	1274	6317
SCP023	Esophageal Cancer	Avastin	3145	2260
SCP030	Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor	Sutent	889	2424
SCP012	Liver Cancer	Sorafenib	96	1253
SCP017	Lung Cancer	Avastin	3947	2111
SCP025	Melanoma	Avastin	5399	3294
SCP002	Neuroendocrine carcinoma	N/A	Patient dropped	N/A
SCP026	Ovarian Cancer	Sorafenib	Patient dropped	N/A
SCP020	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Sutent	368	883
SCP004	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	2316	1057
SCP011	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	3159	1911
SCP013	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	3908	770
SCP015	Renal Cell Carcinoma	Avastin	3031	1068
SCP018	Tongue Cancer	Avastin	1457	3074
SCP005	Unknown Primary	Avastin	3099	2980

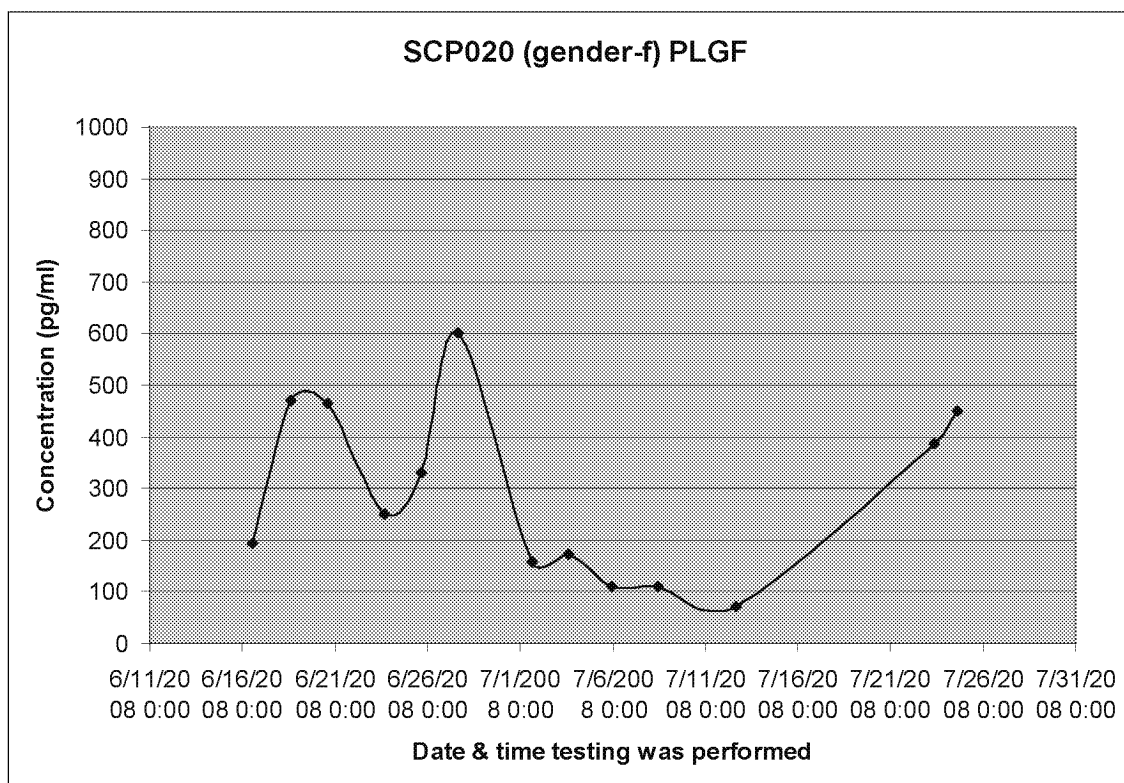
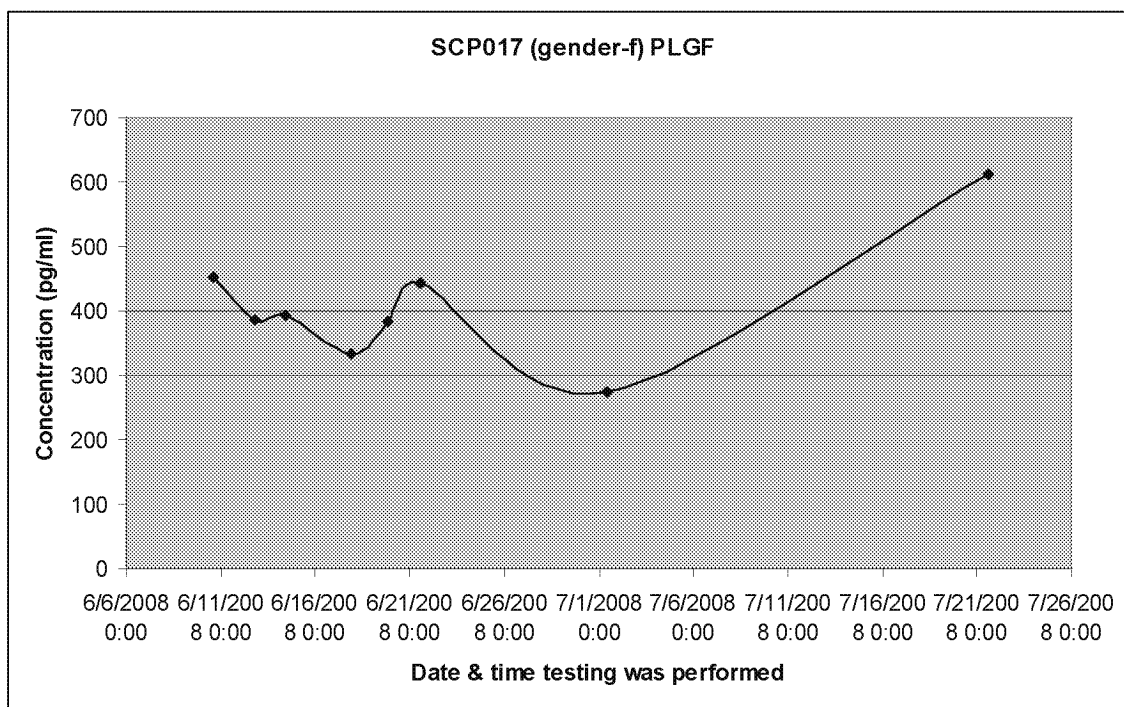
As referenced, patients #2, #19, #22, #26 dropped out of the study for various reasons; therefore average values are not statistically significant for them.





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For the patients in whom PLGF is consistently detectable we selected plots as shown below.







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Patient monitoring times and quality of life by gender:

			Time of day when home monitoring was performed	Quality of life (as measured by on- screen survey)
Patient ID	Cancer type	Gender	(on average)*	(on average)*
SCP001	Adenocarcinoma	f	Morning	N/A (Survey was not yet deployed)
SCP006	Breast Cancer	f	Afternoon	7
SCP010	Breast Cancer	f	Evening	8
SCP008	Breast Cancer	f	Late Evening	7
SCP021	Colorectal Cancer	f	Noon-afternoon	8
SCP027	Colorectal Cancer	f	Afternoon	10
SCP029	Colorectal Cancer	f	Afternoon- Evening	not yet available
SCP003	Colorectal Cancer	f	Morning	N/A (Survey was not yet deployed)
SCP017	Lung Cancer	f	Evening	9
SCP026	Ovarian Cancer	f	N/A	N/A
SCP020	Renal Cell Carcinoma	f	Afternoon	6
SCP005	Unknown Primary	f	Afternoon	9
SCP007	Colorectal Cancer	m	Evening	7
SCP009	Colorectal Cancer	m	Late Evening	7
SCP022	Colorectal Cancer	m	N/A	8
SCP014	Colorectal Cancer	m	Morning	7
SCP019	Colorectal Cancer	m	N/A	N/A
SCP016	Colorectal Cancer	m	Evening	8
SCP031	Colorectal Cancer	m	Afternoon	not yet available
SCP024	Colorectal Cancer	m	Afternoon	9
SCP028	Colorectal Cancer	m	Evening	not yet available
SCP023	Esophageal Cancer	m	Morning	8
SCP030	Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor	m	Morning	not yet available
SCP012	Liver Cancer	m	Afternoon	10
SCP025	Melanoma	m	Morning	9
SCP002	Neuroendocrine carcinoma	m	N/A	N/A
SCP004	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Noon-afternoon	10
SCP011	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Morning	9
SCP013	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Evening	10
SCP015	Renal Cell Carcinoma	m	Evening	7
SCP018	Tongue Cancer	m	Afternoon	5

\* Actual time for each test point and diurnal variations of quality of life can be found online

Patient compliance with optional on-screen questionnaire was approximately 86% (this number was calculated before the end of the study, therefore final compliance figures may change).



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## Patient clinical visit data by age:

Patient ID	Race	Smoking Status	Alcohol Consumption	Age	Weight (pounds)
SCP029	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	36	179
SCP010	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	45	165
SCP018	Caucasian	Smoke daily	None	45	181
SCP007	Caucasian	never smoked	None	46	213
SCP008	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	None	46	180
SCP002	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	49	194
SCP016	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	monthly or less	49	167
SCP012	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	53	190
SCP015	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	53	174
SCP028	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	None	57	262
SCP001	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	61	172
SCP027	African American	never smoked	None	62	167
SCP009	Caucasian	never smoked	None	63	221
SCP011	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	monthly or less	63	305
SCP024	Caucasian	infrequent attempts (never developed a habit)	Every day	64	200
SCP023	Caucasian	never smoked	Every day	65	252
SCP005	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	monthly or less	66	160
SCP021	Caucasian	smoke occasionally	monthly or less	66	198
SCP006	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	68	163
SCP017	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	Every day	69	112
SCP013	Caucasian	never smoked	monthly or less	71	230
SCP020	Caucasian	never smoked	None	72	101
SCP026	Caucasian	never smoked	None	73	132
SCP031	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	73	134.5
SCP025	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	None	77	184
SCP014	Caucasian	does not smoke now, positive history	monthly or less	78	217.5
SCP022	African American	never smoked	None	82	178
SCP030	Caucasian	never smoked	None	83	182



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Sample of patient clinical blood work by patient ID:

Patient ID	Avg. % Lymphocytes	Avg. Heart Rate	Avg. Total Bilirubin	Avg. Systolic BP	Avg. RBC
SCP001	33.4	67.7	0.7	129.3	3.2
SCP002	34.1	55.0	0.3	161.0	4.3
SCP004	27.8	64.7	0.5	144.7	3.2
SCP005	36.4	75.0	0.2	127.5	3.9
SCP006	29.5	100.7	0.3	112.7	4.3
SCP007	24.0	73.0	0.3	131.3	4.4
SCP008	23.7	84.0	0.4	124.0	5.1
SCP009	25.0	71.5	0.7	133.0	4.5
SCP010	45.3	74.3	0.9	137.8	4.5
SCP011	28.6	82.0	0.6	135.0	4.8
SCP012	28.3	75.5	0.7	122.0	4.0
SCP013	31.1	72.0	0.7	137.0	4.2
SCP014	40.2	81.5	0.4	125.3	4.0
SCP015	35.4	78.3	0.3	147.0	5.0
SCP016	18.0	75.3	0.3	131.3	4.9
SCP017	20.7	89.3	0.4	114.0	4.2
SCP018	23.4	70.0	0.3	133.0	4.8
SCP020	17.9	60.7	0.4	146.0	3.7
SCP021	36.5	91.0	0.4	130.0	4.8
SCP022	23.5	93.5	0.7	123.0	4.0
SCP023	26.3	107.7	0.7	119.7	4.7
SCP024	18.8	83.0	0.7	139.0	3.7
SCP025	33.5	94.0	0.3	143.0	5.2
SCP026	34.6	110.0	0.4	125.0	3.7
SCP027	9.5	70.0	0.7	119.0	3.7
SCP028	21.2	98.0	0.8	125.7	5.2
SCP029	32.6	90.5	0.6	122.8	5.1
SCP030	42.3	72.0	0.4	137.0	3.7
SCP031	16.7	70.0	0.4	145.0	4.3

All individual patient data was profiled as it was generated on the Pfizer-specific secure portal at [www.theranos.com](http://www.theranos.com); raw data can also be found in the attached excel spreadsheet.

#### Server and Data Transmission

Approximately 361 cartridge results and 203 optional home surveys from the field were successfully transmitted to the Theranos servers. There were less than 5% transmission errors that required the readers to either retry sending the data or wait until they had a better connection to send the data. All data gathered in the field was transmitted to the Theranos servers. For the first two patients, on-screen surveys were not available. The number of surveys received is smaller than the number of cartridge runs due to the above as well as patients filling only one survey for each of their clinic visits (even though they ran two cartridges per visit). Once surveys became available, each cartridge run also asked the user to complete an optional quality of life survey and compliance was very good.



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Data distribution by transmission pathway to date		
Direct Internet Connection	Wireless-GSM	Traditional Phone line
5.6 %	90.7%	3.7 %

The only problem encountered with using GSM wireless phone technology was poor signal. The main reasons for poor cellular reception were: dense foliage, metal roofs and poor signal quality due to remote location. In one location (Stewart, TN), there was no cellular coverage at all; therefore the reader used the standard telephone line in order to connect to our servers and report data as it was gathered. All of this patient's logs were received by Theranos servers. In future studies, multiple network providers would be contracted for these areas.

Overall performance of the Theranos System based on Customer Care log:

The customer care line was available to patients 24 hours a day 7 days a week over the course of the entire study (July 07 to October 08). All calls were addressed professionally and all issues were resolved quickly, taking care to minimize the impact on patients and clinical staff.

The types of calls for which patients used the Customer Care line:

- Patient running low on supplies – the solution was to simply ship more of the needed supplies with overnight delivery to make sure patient had enough for the upcoming home tests.
- Patient not knowing how to turn machine on – the solution was to advise the patient over the phone on the procedures outlined in the setup sheet they received and to make sure they have the instrument up and running.
- Patient calling about scheduling an instrument pickup – solution was to schedule one of our representatives to pick up the machine or alternatively to have FedEx pick up the reader if patient was able to place it in the shipping container themselves.
- Patient called about blood transfer question – the solution was to advise the patient to leave the blood transfer device on a flat surface. If this solution was not sufficient, a new batch was shipped to make sure no capillary manufacturer defects were at fault.
- Patient called about instrument not recognizing cartridge – the solution was to ask patient to re-try and call back if problem persisted. The suspicion was that due to poor cellular signal the reader was unable to communicate, and by re-trying it would perform appropriately. There were no subsequent calls from patient.
- Patient called about instrument not being ready due to temperature – the solution was to ask patient to move reader away from A/C units and possible air currents. Patients had moved readers from initial installation location (one moved it to his RV, another into a really hot room) and the temperature extremes affected the readers' ability to maintain desired temperature. The Theranos readers are engineered to control temperature to eliminate variability associated with conventional assays.

The majority of systems deployed in the field performed their duties throughout the entire length of the patient monitoring schedule. One instrument had mechanical issues due to being misused; this happened during new personnel training at TNONC. The instrument was promptly replaced with a new instrument. Another failure occurred due to the instrument being damaged in shipping. Although it performed its functions properly for the majority of the patient's schedule it eventually malfunctioned and was also promptly (~24 hours) replaced. Yet another issue was related to the cellular carrier not identifying the instrument. To expedite the process and assure that the clinic



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was adequately supplied it was decided to replace that instrument with one that was known to work. The problem was later resolved off-line.

Patient Compliance with protocol:

It is hard to estimate the patient compliance with the exact protocol due to the factors out of Theranos' control. In many instances patients re-scheduled their clinic visits and the new appointments were not communicated to us. At the onset of each patient's home monitoring they were provided with a tentative schedule which in many cases changed due to patient's need to travel or inability to keep scheduled appointments. With this in mind, we estimate that patient compliance with protocol was still very good, at approximately 96 % (measured as 80-120% of expected testing completed and received). Given the missing information, a much more accurate derivation would be possible.

Theranos System Assessment by Patients and Clinical Staff:

Patient end of study surveys were sent out to all participants. To date, 17 responses were collected from patients.

Summary of patients' assessment of the Theranos system:

- 88% of patients surveyed found the Theranos System easy to use; no patients found it "very hard" to use.
- 76% of patients found the written instructions to be very informative, with clear directions; 12% did not read instructions
- 91% of patients scored the training given by their Theranos representative either a 9 or 10 (10 being very good training)
- 76% of patients found the Theranos System takes little time to use (scores between 1 and 4 were tallied, with 1 = very little time and 10 = a lot of time)
- 100% of patients found the optional touch screen survey on the Theranos System easy to use, giving scores of either 8, 9 or 10 (10 = easy to use, 1 = hard to use).
- On a scale of 10 to 1 (10 = least painful, 1 = most painful), only one patient gave the blood drawing experience a score of less than 6. 59% felt almost no pain, scoring either a 9 or 10.
- 100% of the patients that responded to the survey gave Theranos Customer Support an excellent or very good rating
- For the majority of patients, the Theranos System worked very well. The major ways of solving the questions patients had were figuring it out on their own or calling the Theranos Customer Care line.
- In the follow-up survey, 100% of patients that responded said they received excellent or very good technical support over the duration of the study.
- Most patients said they prefer monitoring from home (scored 8 through 10) using the Theranos System; 25% were indecisive (scored 4 to 6) when asked whether they prefer going to the clinic or using the Theranos System; only two patients would rather monitor at the clinic.

From the interactions with clinical staff at Tennessee Oncology, the system was:

1. well received and
2. the client solutions team made a very positive impact on the clinical staff and patients through promptitude and professionalism.





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Conclusions:

## General:

1. The Theranos System performed with superior performance to reference assays while running in a complex ambulatory environment.
2. The existing Theranos support infrastructure enables on-demand home installation and patient training in extremely rural areas.
3. Patients preferred ambulatory monitoring to clinic visits and liked using the Theranos System.
4. Non-computer literate patients had no issues using the Theranos System.

## Technical:

5. Inter-system accuracy is excellent and was demonstrated on a platform with superior performance specifications to reference methods.
6. Calibrations were updated with access to samples from the trial.
7. Good correlations were seen to various commercially available gold-standards.
8. Avastin does not block the Theranos assay.
9. The Theranos System can measure VEGF both free and bound to VEGFR2 and Avastin to better quantify dose-response.

## Economic:

10. This 15 month study demonstrated the robust functionality of Theranos Systems. With this validation data, the technology can be applied to significantly cut costs and bring compounds to market faster:
11. More frequent sampling enabled better characterization of longitudinal time-series profiles of angiogenesis protein panels. More accurate insight of the change in rate of those panels over time enables significantly faster and earlier reads on efficacy dynamics.
  - a. See efficacy dynamics trends and correlation to end-points in patient time-course profiles on the Pfizer web-portal at [www.theranos.com](http://www.theranos.com).
12. Response profiles were seen in this study over 30 day intervals. Historically, these types of correlations have taken up to a couple years to demonstrate, or in some cases, were previously not demonstrable. This time gained facilitates rapid data generation for additions to a compendia and rapid label expansion of existing drugs. Equally, this approach can be used to fast-track approvals of key compounds and at the same time better optimize those compounds with better visibility to achieve the target product profiles.
  - a. One of Theranos' pharma partners is publishing a report which estimates the increased time to market is valued at \$1M per day – making every month quite substantial.
13. Through Theranos Systems, Pfizer will be able to reduce the number of sites, eliminate shipping costs for samples, processing costs, and analytical costs. Based on historical data, implementation of these systems will enable Pfizer to achieve ~50% cost savings over current study spending (previously demonstrated to be \$15M of a \$30M study budget). Equally, through better insight into pathway dynamics, Theranos is demonstrating the ability to reduce the number of patients required to show statistical significance in future studies by 30-50%.

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## **Exhibit 4**



Message

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**From:** Gary Frenzel  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 03, 2009 2:29 PM  
**To:** 'constance.cullen@spcorp.com'  
**Subject:** Validation Report

Hi Connie, I was asked to send this report on to you, and if you can forward to the proper people. After you and your group have an opportunity to go through it, let us know if you would like to arrange a phone conference to discuss the results. Thanks Gary

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## Theranos Multiplexed Assay Panel Validation Report

### Human IL-6, Human TNF- $\alpha$ , Human CRP (hs)

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#### 1. Introduction

The Theranos Assay System is a fully automated means for measuring concentrations of analytes (biomarkers, drugs) using immunoassay methodology. The system is comprised of instruments, single-use cartridges and a wireless communications link that conveys protocol information to the instruments from a Theranos Server and relays assay data to the Server for interpretation and distribution. Blood, plasma serum and control materials may be analyzed by the System. Calibration is performed at Theranos on a cartridge-lot-specific basis.

The System accepts a metered sample (25uL), from a proprietary sampling device or a pipette, dilutes it automatically to levels appropriate to each assay then executes an automated ELISA assay protocol. The protocol is selected from a set of released protocols available on the Theranos Server and identified by reading a bar code on each cartridge. The bar code is also linked to an assay lot-specific calibration algorithm. Assays are complete in about one hour.

Assays are typically grouped (multiplexed) in particular cartridges designed to monitor specific disease and therapeutic processes. For example, a cartridge designed to monitor acute and inflammatory processes measures IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$  and CRP. Schering-Plough is interested in use of the Theranos System and has sponsored a validation exercise at Theranos focused on the inflammatory marker cartridge.

In this exercise, many instruments (60) and three lots of cartridges were used.

## 2. Storage and Use

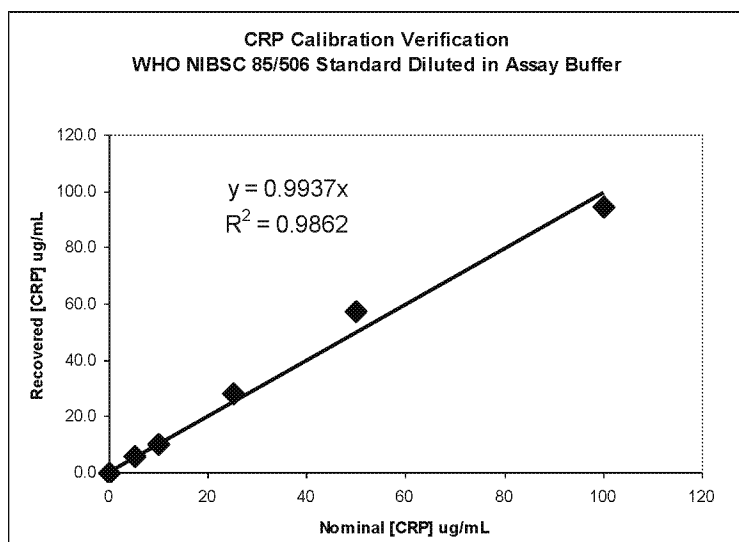
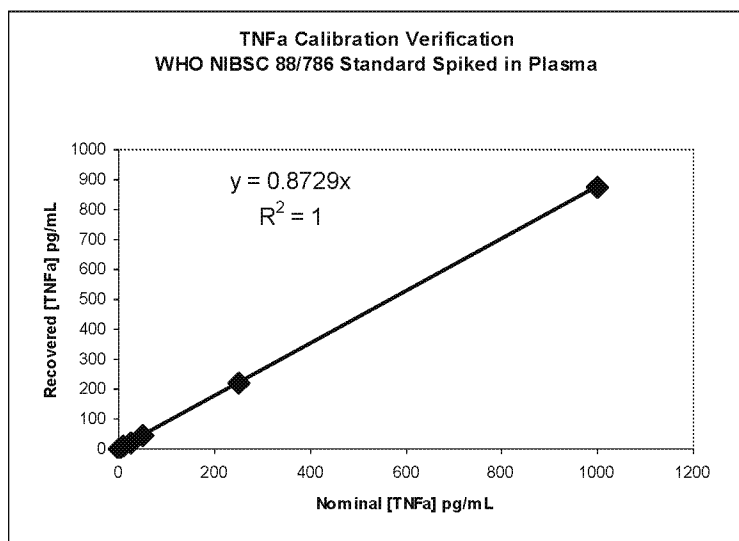
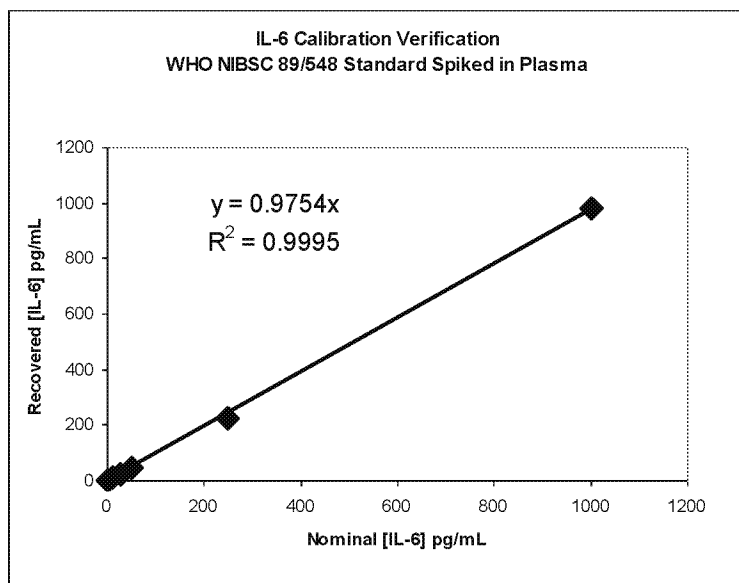
Theranos cartridges should be stored in the original unopened packaging in an upright position at 4°C. Theranos instruments require no user maintenance or calibration. User prompts are provided on a screen which is part of the instrument.

## 3. Calibration

IL-6 and TNF- $\alpha$  assay calibration utilize recombinant analytes expressed in human-cell lines as calibration materials. These are reportedly more stable than recombinant analytes made in bacteria and more similar to the naturally occurring analytes. The CRP assay is calibrated with a human plasma-derived analyte. Theranos Systems assays recognize “natural”, recombinant, and human-cell line expressed recombinant forms of IL-6 and TNF- $\alpha$ . Each lot of Theranos Cartridges is individually calibrated, the calibration equation is linked to the cartridge barcode and results are automatically computed on the Theranos data server. For this validation study, three cartridge lots were produced and calibrated.

### NIBSC WHO Verification of Calibration

Exemplary assay responses are shown in Appendix A. Calibrations for IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$  and CRP were verified by testing the recovery of the current National Institute for Biological Standards and Control (NIBSC) World Health Organization (WHO) Reference Standards. The current WHO standard for IL-6 is NIBSC code 89/548 (recombinant protein produced in CHO cells with post translational modifications), for TNF- $\alpha$  NIBSC code 88/786 (a natural human protein derived from human BALL-1 cells), and for CRP NIBSC code 85/506 from human plasma. Spike recovery of all three WHO standards were within acceptable limits across the assay ranges as shown in the figures and tables below. Note that for the TNF- $\alpha$  assay we found low recovery (about 30%) of the WHO standard in a reference kit (R&D Systems Quantikine HS catalogue # HSTA00D, data shown in Appendix B). Therefore comparisons of sensitivity and slopes of assay correlations of results of the Theranos System with those of R&D Systems kits will show different results due to their respective calibrations. For example, the R&D Systems Assay would report a TNF- $\alpha$  value of 4 pg/mL when the Theranos Assay reports 12 pg/mL. If desired by a customer the Theranos System can be configured (in calibration algorithms) to provide results matching those of R&D Systems assays (or those of other predicate assay). It is our intention however to continue to perform primary calibration of Theranos assays using International Standard materials whenever possible since predicate assays not so calibrated may be subject to lot-to-lot variation in calibration.



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<b>Theranos Systems Recovery of IL-6 (NIBSC code 89/548) Spiked in Plasma</b>					
<b>n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level</b>					
<b>[IL-6] IU/mL</b>	<b>[IL-6] pg/ml</b>	<b>Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
100	1000	981.1	11	980.1	98
25	250	227.1	16	226.2	90
5	50	45.2	10	44.2	88
3	25	21.5	8	20.5	82
1	10	10.5	9	9.5	95
0	0	1.0	47	0.0	N/A

<b>Theranos Systems Recovery of TNF-<math>\alpha</math> (NIBSC code 88/786) Spiked in Plasma</b>					
<b>n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level</b>					
<b>[TNFa] IU/mL</b>	<b>[TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [TNF-<math>\alpha</math>] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
46.5	1000	873.4	3	873.0	89
11.6	250	218.7	3	218.3	96
2.3	50	44.0	10	43.5	96
1.2	25	20.9	22	20.4	95
0.5	10	10.9	19	10.5	100
0	0	0.4	14	0.0	N/A

<b>Theranos Systems Recovery of CRP (NIBSC code 85/506) in Assay Buffer</b>				
<b>n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level</b>				
<b>[CRP] IU/mL</b>	<b>[CRP] ug/ml</b>	<b>Recovered [CRP] ug/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
98	100	94.6	2	95
49	50	57.4	18	115
24.5	25	28.1	15	113
10	10	10.2	14	102
4.9	5	5.7	20	114
0	0	0.0	30	N/A

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#### 4. Range

Reportable ranges based on calibration to WHO standards determined for these assays are:

Assay	Low	High
IL-6	2 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL
TNF- $\alpha$	4 <sup>1</sup> pg/mL	1000 pg/mL
CRP	0.05 ug/mL	100 ug/mL

As shown below, all three tested lots support these ranges<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent to 1 pg/mL in the R&D Systems assay calibrated using R&D Systems calibrators

<sup>2</sup> The lower limit of the reportable range of the TNF- $\alpha$  assay has been extended below the LLOQ so as not to restrict the reportable range too much. The LLOQ is higher than anticipated due to unexpectedly high imprecision of the assay in the cartridge lots used for validation compared with other cartridge lots used in pre-clinical work. We are presently investigating the root cause of this imprecision.

## 5. Quantitation Limits

Assay calibrations and determination of Lower Limit of Quantitation (LLOQ) and Upper Limit of Quantitation (ULOQ) were performed and analyzed by proprietary software. Assay responses were fitted by a four-parameter equation and LLOQ and ULOQ determined according to FDA criteria. Calibrators were run in triplicate on three days (consecutive or non-consecutive) on 36 instruments for a total of nine cartridges per level, at 12 levels.

### Summary of Calibration Analysis for three Cartridge Lots

Lot 2455142005	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	1.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL
Lot 2455146006	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	1.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL
Lot 2455156002	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	2.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL

### Limits of detection (LOD)

The range in the Limits of detection calculated as  $2 \times \text{Signal SD} / \text{Slope of dose response}$  ( $\Delta \text{signal} / \Delta \text{conc}$ ) are reported for the three lots of Theranos cartridges. Comparison data are also given for R&D Systems assays Minimum Detectable Dose “MDD” (which is equivalent to LOD). In addition to the calibration issue for the R&D Systems TNF- $\alpha$  assay discussed above which gives a four-fold lower limit for R&D Systems, we believe the calculation of MDD performed by R&D Systems may be compromised (falsely low) by the inability of any known spectrometer to report optical density to the required precision needed to support the calculated values.

The CRP MDD reported by R&D Systems is highly misleading since it represents the concentration in the assay rather than in the sample (which “must be diluted” according to their package insert prior to assay). Note that the Theranos assay uses a sample which is diluted 5000-fold. If we compare the actual sensitivity *in the assay medium* the Theranos value would be about 0.006 ng/mL.

Assay System	IL-6 (pg/mL)	TNF- $\alpha$ (pg/mL)	CRP (ng/mL)
Theranos	0.9 – 1.5	3.7 – 5.2	28 - 31
R&D Systems	0.02 – 0.11	0.04 – 0.19	0.005 – 0.22
R&D Systems <sup>3</sup>		0.16 – 0.76	

<sup>3</sup> Recalculated to reflect calibration to WHO standard material



## 6. Precision and Accuracy

Plasma with low endogenous analyte levels was spiked with three levels of the analytes were measured in 16 cartridges per level on 48 instruments. Recovery of the spiked analyte was good. Imprecision (% CV) ranged from 10 - 25 %. Note that the imprecision cited includes both instrument-instrument and cartridge-cartridge variance.

### Spiked Plasma Samples (n=16 cartridges, n=48 instruments)

Nominal [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	StDev	CV %	% Recovery
800.3	806.9	79.8	9.9	101
50.3	50.5	4.7	9.2	100
5.3	5.1	0.8	15.5	96
Nominal [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	StDev	CV %	% Recovery
500.3	418.9	39.6	9.5	84
50.3	42.7	5.1	12.0	85
12.3	12.9	3.2	24.6	105
Nominal [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	StDev	CV %	% Recovery
50.1	50.4	10.0	19.9	101
1.6	1.6	0.3	16.8	97
0.1	0.1	0.0	20.6	103

## 7. Specificity

Assays were tested for cross reactivity and interference by the factors listed below, at high, mid and low analyte levels. Potential cross-reactants were selected based on package inserts of recognized predicate methods and added at levels deemed to be higher than those likely to be found in clinical samples. No significant cross reactivity or interference was observed for any of the assays by any of the tested factors at all analyte levels tested.

IL-6 Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
Control	0	1000.3	1100.3	7.8	110
	0	90.3	95.8	16.6	106
	0	8.3	9.4	4.8	113
IL-1 $\alpha$	10	1000.3	939.2	2.9	94
	10	90.3	97.0	15.7	107
	10	8.3	9.0	6.9	108
IL-2	10	1000.3	1047.7	1.7	105
	10	90.3	86.7	9.4	96
	10	8.3	8.7	22.3	105
IL-3	10	1000.3	950.0	12.7	95
	10	90.3	91.9	4.6	102
	10	8.3	7.9	4.4	95
IL-4	10	1000.3	908.0	10.9	91
	10	90.3	79.9	16.7	88
	10	8.3	8.1	18.1	97
IL-6 sR	50	1000.3	914.9	18.0	91
	50	90.3	81.2	1.3	90
	50	8.3	8.0	29.0	96
IL-7	10	1000.3	895.0	10.0	89
	10	90.3	78.1	9.1	87
	10	8.3	8.2	9.4	99
IL-8	10	1000.3	927.8	9.7	93
	10	90.3	82.3	17.1	91
	10	8.3	8.4	17.6	101
IL-11	10	1000.3	897.5	12.5	90
	10	90.3	90.3	6.1	100
	10	8.3	7.9	2.2	95
IL-12	10	1000.3	837.6	8.4	84
	10	90.3	85.8	14.7	95
	10	8.3	6.8	18.1	82
CNTF	10	1000.3	900.6	8.4	90
	10	90.3	95.3	5.8	106
	10	8.3	8.9	22.4	107
G-CSF	10	1000.3	925.0	18.7	92
	10	90.3	90.2	12.8	100
	10	8.3	9.7	6.9	117

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IL-6 Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
sgp130	1000	1000.3	895.5	17.0	90
	1000	90.3	88.6	2.0	98
	1000	8.3	9.4	3.2	114
LIF R	50	1000.3	895.2	2.8	89
	50	90.3	78.5	16.5	87
	50	8.3	8.9	19.8	107
OSM	10	1000.3	945.4	9.5	95
	10	90.3	77.1	10.0	85
	10	8.3	6.9	16.8	83
TNF-β	10	1000.3	919.6	8.6	92
	10	90.3	83.3	15.8	92
	10	8.3	9.4	7.8	113
IL-1β	10	1000.3	901.2	8.1	90
	10	90.3	85.7	17.6	95
	10	8.3	7.5	10.5	90
sTNF RI	10	1000.3	1025.2	9.2	102
	10	90.3	83.4	11.4	92
	10	8.3	9.4	16.5	114
sTNF RII	10	1000.3	963.3	13.8	96
	10	90.3	90.7	10.2	100
	10	8.3	9.3	21.0	112

TNF-α Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
Control	0	900.3	883.7	4.1	98
	0	90.3	85.4	4.1	95
	0	8.3	8.3	40.4	100
IL-1α	10	900.3	849.1	5.5	94
	10	90.3	89.6	12.7	99
	10	8.3	8.8	16.0	106
IL-2	10	900.3	855.2	23.5	95
	10	90.3	90.8	7.9	101
	10	8.3	9.6	18.5	116
IL-3	10	900.3	836.5	23.5	93
	10	90.3	74.3	5.4	82
	10	8.3	8.2	29.2	98
IL-4	10	900.3	884.6	6.9	98
	10	90.3	89.5	8.5	99
	10	8.3	7.0	49.3	84
IL-6 sR	50	900.3	874.0	23.5	97
	50	90.3	77.8	13.8	86
	50	8.3	8.6	34.8	103
IL-7	10	900.3	871.9	6.3	97
	10	90.3	82.8	37.1	92
	10	8.3	7.6	22.9	91

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TNF- $\alpha$ Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
IL-8	10	900.3	774.4	1.8	86
	10	90.3	83.4	13.5	92
	10	8.3	7.9	12.6	95
IL-11	10	900.3	901.8	1.5	100
	10	90.3	90.7	19.6	100
	10	8.3	9.3	36.8	112
IL-12	10	900.3	770.9	7.3	86
	10	90.3	77.4	15.8	86
	10	8.3	7.9	56.7	96
CNTF	10	900.3	920.1	6.0	102
	10	90.3	82.5	9.7	91
	10	8.3	8.7	18.9	105
G-CSF	10	900.3	1052.6	3.7	117
	10	90.3	95.6	20.7	106
	10	8.3	9.1	9.6	110
sgp130	1000	900.3	891.3	16.8	99
	1000	90.3	93.8	9.1	104
	1000	8.3	10.1	25.1	122
LIF R	50	900.3	781.5	20.7	87
	50	90.3	87.3	15.2	97
	50	8.3	9.1	12.1	110
OSM	10	900.3	862.1	10.6	96
	10	90.3	85.2	23.8	94
	10	8.3	7.4	54.1	89
TNF- $\beta$	10	900.3	804.0	24.7	89
	10	90.3	90.7	16.4	100
	10	8.3	7.7	32.3	92
IL-1 $\beta$	10	900.3	900.0	17.3	100
	10	90.3	83.1	16.6	92
	10	8.3	8.3	33.1	101
sTNF RI	10	900.3	833.0	21.8	93
	10	90.3	86.4	19.5	96
	10	8.3	6.7	21.6	80
sTNF RII	10	900.3	801.3	8.9	89
	10	90.3	93.6	3.0	104
	10	8.3	8.2	14.2	99

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CRP Assay Specificity Test in Assay Buffer (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)					
Substance	[Test Substance] ng/mL	Target [CRP] ug/ml	Recovered [CRP] ug/ml	CV %	% Recovery
Control	0	50	53.0	16	106
	0	10	8.1	34	81
	0	0.75	0.7	13	91
Pentraxin-2/SAP	30	50	49.2	19	98
	30	10	8.9	9	89
	30	0.75	0.8	4	102
Pentraxin-3/TSG-14	10	50	40.6	7	81
	10	10	8.2	14	82
	10	0.75	0.7	5	100

## 8. Linearity

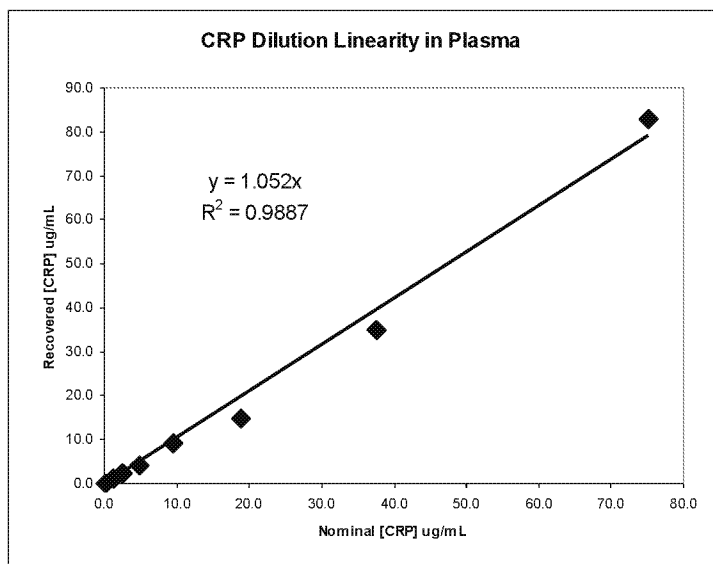
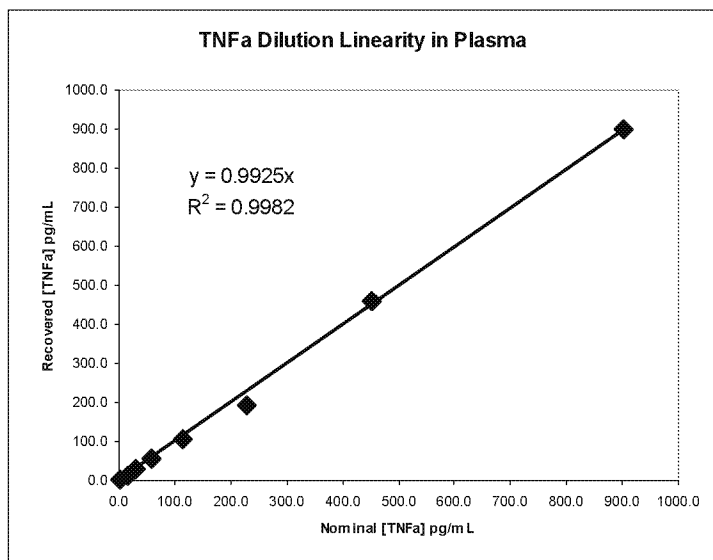
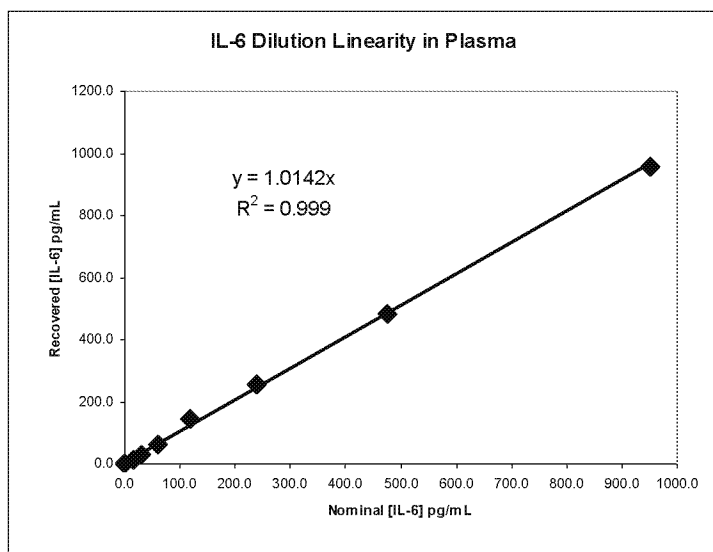
A plasma sample with low endogenous analyte levels was spiked with known levels of IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ , and CRP then diluted serially with the unspiked plasma. All assays showed an appropriate linear dilution response across the dilution range (500 – 2000-fold). Data are tabulated and graphed below.

**Dilution Linearity in Plasma, Multiplexed Assays (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

<b>IL-6</b>				
<b>Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>[Expected] pg/ml</b>	<b>[Recovered] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
950	950.5	958.1	7	101
	475.5	480.9	11	101
	238.0	256.1	18	108
	119.2	143.9	25	121
	59.8	62.3	3	104
	30.1	28.3	23	94
	15.3	13.3	34	87
	0.5	0.5	88	100

<b>TNF-<math>\alpha</math></b>				
<b>Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>[Expected] pg/ml</b>	<b>[Recovered] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
900	902.7	899.2	11	100
	452.7	461.5	9	102
	227.7	194.6	6	85
	115.2	105.0	11	91
	59.0	56.1	2	95
	30.9	30.6	4	99
	16.8	14.9	26	89
	2.7	2.7	14	100

<b>CRP</b>				
<b>Spiked [CRP] ug/mL</b>	<b>[Expected] ug/ml</b>	<b>[Recovered] ug/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
75	75.1	82.8	34	110
	37.6	35.0	0	93
	18.8	14.7	10	78
	9.5	9.1	12	96
	4.8	4.1	8	85
	2.4	2.4	7	98
	1.3	1.3	15	102
	0.1	0.1	29	100



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## 9. Matrix Effects

Plasma or serum containing various potentially interfering factors or substances were spiked with known levels of analyte and the resulting recovery of the spiked analyte calculated after correction for endogenous analyte. None of the assays showed interference from icteric, hemolyzed, lipemic, or rheumatoid factor-positive samples as shown in the tables below

**NORMAL SERUM Sample: PromedDx 10739123 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1019.1	14	1015.82	102
250	224.9	4	221.58	89
50	47.7	14	44.42	89
25	25.3	6	22.01	88
10	12.6	9	9.29	93
0	3.3	43	0.00	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1019.1	14	1014.7	101
250	224.9	4	220.5	88
50	47.7	14	43.3	87
25	25.3	6	20.9	84
10	12.6	9	8.2	82
0	4.4	60	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	107.4	11	107.3	107
50	49.3	13	49.3	99
25	25.0	23	24.9	100
10	9.6	41	9.5	95
5	5.9	17	5.8	116
0	0.1	12	0.0	



**LIPEMIC SERUM Sample: Vital Products SFB8315 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	872.5	15	868.8	87
250	214.1	4	210.4	84
50	47.8	15	44.1	88
25	24.5	6	20.8	83
10	14.4	19	10.7	107
0	3.7	12	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	965.0	17	962.8	96
250	230.8	15	228.6	91
50	56.6	40	54.4	109
25	25.4	13	23.2	93
10	14.8	14	12.6	126
0	2.2	32	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	119.4	36	119.1	119
50	54.2	40	53.9	108
25	24.4	25	24.1	96
10	10.4	9	10.1	101
5	5.8	15	5.6	111
0	0.2	12	0.0	

**HEMOLYZED PLASMA Sample: Stanford W070509118560 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1010.9	10	1010.0	101
250	274.6	13	273.7	109
50	51.6	2	50.7	101
25	26.8	11	25.9	104
10	10.5	12	9.6	96
0	0.9	41	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	898.7	14	895.1	90
250	223.5	12	219.9	88
50	44.2	11	40.6	81
25	27.7	23	24.1	96
10	12.0	23	8.4	84
0	3.6	14	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	119.6	10	119.5	119
50	54.0	10	53.9	108
25	22.5	14	22.4	90
10	11.6	3	11.5	115
5	5.6	11	5.5	110
0	0.1	4	0.0	

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**ICTERIC SERUM Sample: PromedDx 10739123 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	986.0	9	983.4	98
250	282.4	12	279.7	112
50	55.8	10	53.2	106
25	28.1	7	25.4	102
10	11.8	16	9.2	92
0	2.6	53	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	969.8	5	967.4	97
250	219.6	22	217.2	87
50	45.0	11	42.6	85
25	24.5	5	22.1	88
10	10.6	22	8.2	82
0	2.4	17	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	109.5	8	108.4	108
50	41.7	80	40.6	81
25	29.6	14	28.4	114
10	10.1	11	9.0	90
5	6.4	19	5.3	106
0	1.1	3	0.0	

**RHEUMATOID FACTOR POSITIVE SERUM Sample: Vital Products SFB7884 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1118.0	10	1097.9	110
250	286.9	9	266.7	107
50	77.7	13	57.6	115
25	46.3	12	26.2	105
10	30.4	6	10.2	102
0	20.1	6	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1116.4	11	1112.3	111
250	228.9	5	224.8	90
50	48.0	13	43.9	88
25	24.2	13	20.1	80
10	14.0	20	9.9	99
0	4.1	27	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	110.9	18	105.8	106
50	49.1	17	44.0	88
25	34.2	29	29.0	116
10	15.5	9	10.3	103
5	10.9	11	5.7	114
0	5.2	28	0.0	

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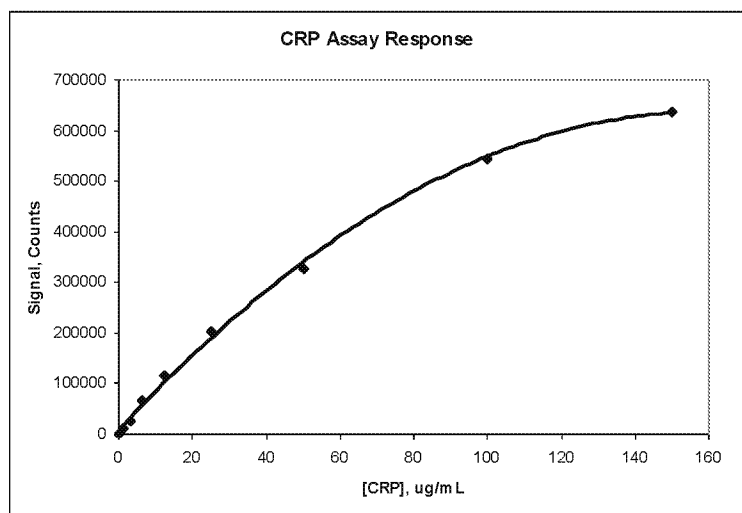
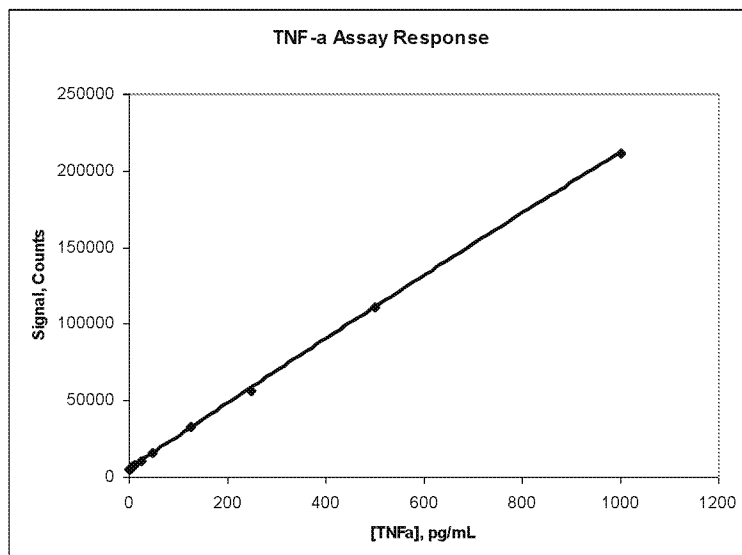
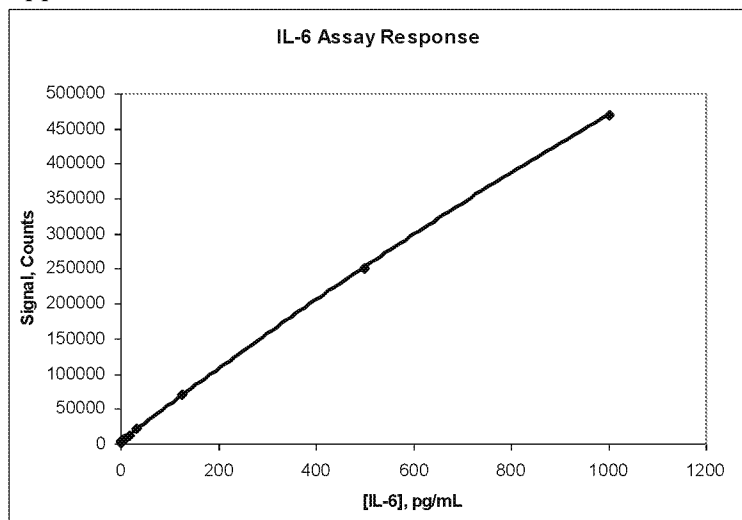
## 10. Stability

The stability of component reagents for the present assays has been studied individually in lots made previous to the present study. The capture surfaces were stable for over 12 months, and the detection conjugates for at least six months. Stability of the integrated cartridges used for this validation report stored at 4C is being monitored and an updated report will include this data. Cartridges are initially assigned an expiry date of three months post manufacture.

## Conclusions:

The Theranos IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ , CRP assay multiplex has been shown to give accurate and precise results for three independently calibrated cartridge lots and all the many instruments used. Assay calibration has been established using WHO or other standard materials. Lower and upper levels of quantitation have been established. The assays are specific for their respective analytes when tested against potential cross reactants and are not interfered with by agents that may cause problems in immunoassays. Dilution linearity is satisfactory for all the assays. Assay cartridge stability studies are underway.

## Appendix A



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## Appendix B

### Comparison of Theranos Systems TNFa Calibration to Other Available Commercial Methods

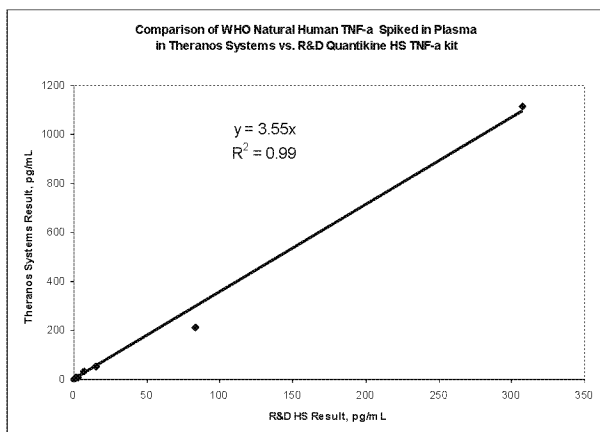
Plasma samples were spiked with WHO TNF- $\alpha$  Standard (NIBSC code 88/786) and run in Theranos Systems and in R&D Quantikine High Sensitivity Human TNF- $\alpha$  ELISA (catalogue # HSTA00D). The results are shown below.

#### THERANOS SYSTEMS Recovery of TNFa WHO Standard Spiked in Plasma

Nominal Spike		1pg/mL = 0.0465 IU/mL			
[TNFa] IU/ml	[TNFa] pg/ml	Calc. pg/mL	Minus Endogenous	Calc. IU/mL	% Recovery
0	0	5.2	0.0		
0.1	2.5	8.1	2.9	0.1	118
0.2	5	11.5	6.3	0.3	126
0.5	10	14.9	9.7	0.5	97
1.2	25	35.9	30.8	1.4	123
2.3	50	57.6	52.4	2.4	105
11.6	250	217.6	212.5	9.9	85
46.5	1000	1120.6	1115.4	51.9	112

#### R&D QUANTI KINE HS ELISA Recovery of TNFa WHO Standard Spiked in Plasma

Nominal Spike		1pg/mL = 0.0465 IU/mL			
[TNFa] IU/ml	[TNFa] pg/ml	Calc. pg/mL	Minus Endogenous	Calc. IU/mL	% Recovery
0	0	0.2	0.0		
0.1	2.5	1.0	0.8	0.04	32
0.2	5	1.8	1.6	0.07	32
0.5	10	3.2	3.0	0.14	30
1.2	25	7.3	7.1	0.3	28
2.3	50	15.0	14.8	0.7	30
11.6	250	83.6	83.4	3.9	33
46.5	1000	308.0	307.7	14.3	31



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## **Exhibit 5**



## Theranos Systems

### Introduction

Theranos is transforming patient management, individual wellness, and the economics of health care delivery.

In doing so, Theranos has showcased a new economic model for pharmaceutical companies, exponentially increasing sales and rate of growth while cutting development expenses.

As the Theranos infrastructure begins to transform the way payors and physicians approach blood testing and reimbursement, the adoption of Theranos Systems in pharmaceutical companies is powering a radical new growth model for the pharmaceutical and biotech industry.

### Return on Investment for Pharmaceutical Clients

Theranos' technology has been robustly validated over the last four years. Existing clients include AstraZeneca, BMS, Celgene, GSK, J&J Centocor, Mayo Clinic, Merck, Pfizer, and others. Theranos' direct-to-consumer home monitoring systems are currently being launched. In pharmaceutical clinical studies/programs, Theranos Systems have:

#### Accelerated trial timelines by an average of 18 months.

- Demonstrating meaningful dose-response and efficacy dynamics profiles in ~6 months where conventional infrastructure took two years and was still not able to generate equally predictive correlations.
- Existing customers value a six-month gain in time-to-market at \$180 million to \$540 million<sup>1</sup>.

#### Reduced clinical operations costs by 50%.

- In addition to saving time, point-of-care ambulatory monitoring reduces the number of sites, as well as shipping, sample processing and clinical operations costs.
- Higher integrity field data and predictive models reduce the number of patients required in each clinical study by 25%.

**Enabled realization of target product profiles** that customers had not been able to achieve using the conventional testing and analytical infrastructure.

- Improved visibility into pathway dynamics
- Early reads on efficacy and safety dynamics
  - Established comprehensive longitudinal PK/PD profiles.
  - Characterized trends in the rate of change of key markers. (Conventional infrastructure obscures trends Theranos Systems elucidate.)
- Optimized development in ways previously not possible because of the biology complexities.
  - Enabled adaptive studies and development.
  - Salvaged assets that were about to be written off.
  - Rapidly enabled label expansion into key new patient populations and multiple indications.
  - Powered mechanistically driven cross-comparison studies for compound differentiation and reimbursement.

**Enabled approval, reimbursement, and maximized use of key assets** through drug-systems combinations now going onto the market together to optimize the benefit/risk profile of a drug on an *individual* patient basis. The individualized selection, treatment, monitoring and wellness counseling of subjects made possible through Theranos Systems is the foundation of a radical new growth model for pharmaceutical companies following the drug-device approach recommended by the Critical Path Initiative. The ability to comprehensively monitor blood-proteins and behavior in an at-home system enables pharmaceutical companies to overcome the clinical and economic limitations of what's currently known as 'personalized' – population-based medicine.

<sup>1</sup>Most recent estimates by an existing Theranos client value each day gained at 1-3 million dollars per day.





## The Theranos System

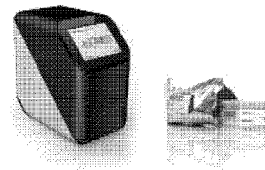
Theranos Systems are Theranos' proprietary, patented technology. The systems are becoming the center of healthcare in the home, making healthcare a home necessity in the same way that personalized computers made computing a home necessity.

For point-of-care technology to develop into a true individualized medical system (IMS) and make it a staple of patient care at the individualized level, significant breakthroughs were needed over the current state-of-the-art tools in the following domains:

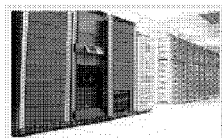
- Greater sensitivity, specificity, precision and accuracy of simultaneous assays
- Home protein analysis for time profiling
- Home drug analysis for exposure-response characterization
- Integration of data coming from various sources into electronic health records (EHR)
- Data modeling using Bayesian and other approaches
- Systematic, prompt feedback to the health care provider (HCP) and the patient
- Enabling early, adaptive and rapid decision making about healthcare utilization

The Theranos System was developed to address the aforementioned issues. Theranos Systems allow HCPs to monitor drugs, their metabolites, and relevant biomarkers from fresh whole blood samples in real-time at any testing frequency in a clinic, hospital setting or any point of care, including the home.

Theranos Systems process finger-stick blood samples at the point of care, wirelessly transmit data to relevant health care providers/clinicians, and can provide individualized and integrated content back to consumers to assist them in modifying behavior and establishing/achieving health and wellness goals. The user interface on the device is a graphical touch-screen, which links with an individual's mobile phone in real-time, providing each user with 'smart,' customized information.



Theranos' proprietary blood-analysis technology has made it possible to measure multiplexed combinations of drugs, proteins and other analytes in the home, and in doing so, characterize trends in disease progression and regression that were previously not seen. The ability to capture more comprehensive longitudinal time-series measurements is fundamental to better characterizing a patient's response to therapy.



When deployed, the information system allows for the integration and exploitation of information in a way previously not feasible. The home healthcare systems combined with the models in the information system enable accelerated clinical studies and realization of the target profiles of key assets.

In order to increase the value and coverage of marketed assets, compound-specific information characterized in clinical studies is being leveraged in the consumer environment. The information system allows for customized content to be deployed to device touch-screens and the associated mobile applications to enhance the value of a therapy.

The social networks which are rising around the mobile and home systems are proving to be powerful viral marketing channels.





**Theranos Systems are comprised of three integrated technologies and services.**

**1. Data infrastructure (for use across an entire pharmaceutical pipeline)**

An information integration and exploitation infrastructure which permits:

- Data acquisition and storage of point-of-care results in real time.
- The integration of blood parameters and patient diary data with all other physiologically relevant information into the EHR.
- A central mathematical software program to:
  - Graphically visualize, help to interpret, and analyze all data in one place
  - Link any new information into a disease management system that then maps the information onto a probability space of clinical outcomes.
- The graphical display of clinically relevant and actionable information back to the HCP and/or the patient.

A customer-specific data integration and self-learning prediction and simulation engine to:

- Centralize all information in one repository.
- Automatically import data that exist in different formats (historical data, clinical studies, literature, patient records, etc.).
- Power models of patient response and disease pathophysiologies on integrated data sets.
- Constantly evolve and become increasingly predictive as learning algorithms process data from the field and literature without requiring human intervention.

**2. Predictive and dynamic, multivariate, multi-dimensional models (customized for program-specific objectives) that map disease progression and regression**

Algorithms

- Built-in pattern recognition tools characterize 'responder classes' and clinical outcomes.
- Probability analysis tools systematically account for uncertainty.
- Integrate physiological models with statistical analysis tools based on Theranos' proprietary time-series analysis.

Models

- Account for all relevant pathophysiologies and compounds' mechanisms of action
- Can identify relevant circulating parameters for patient monitoring and classification
- Are increasingly predictive to power future studies and decision making
- Simulate scenarios that answer 'what-if' questions and allow users to run queries themselves
  - Patient profiles
  - Trial protocols

**3. Home Healthcare Systems (Integrated point-of-care home and mobile monitoring systems that work for any combination of assays, including drug and protein analysis)**

Devices – remote, portable patient care systems

- On-site, real-time, automatic processing of cartridges for blood analysis
- User interface designed for non-computer-literate subjects, allowing the patient to initiate the assays and to graphically enter a variety of relevant environmental information, such as comprehensive patient diary, behavioral, and psychological information, through touch-screens embedded in the device
- Two-way communication system from the instruments to HCP/clinicians, mobile phones, and back to patients with relevant content, messages, and health information
- Blood and environmental data is automatically (wirelessly) transmitted into models in real time.
  - Fully exploit all data (every IIT or pivotal trial increases the predictive value of the models).
  - Characterize dose-response, efficacy and safety dynamics faster and more accurately.



**Cartridges** – disposable cartridges pre-loaded with chemistries to simultaneously measure multiplexes of proteins and other analytes from ~20µL whole blood finger-stick

- Cartridges can be customized to measure any combination of drugs and biomarkers together to map indicators/trends through comprehensive longitudinal PK/PD profiles of subject status.
- Rapid characterization of rate-of-change in key markers and trends (through more frequent monitoring than possible using central labs) yields predictive insight into clinical outcomes far earlier than more traditional radiologic and clinical end-points, resulting in earlier go/no-go decisions across multiple indications.
- Assay precision and trend generation capabilities reduce required patient numbers.
- Standardized analytical platform can be used across all sites.
  - Reduce variability of data between sites.
  - Improve quality of data by avoiding issues with analyte decay rates and sample processing.
- Drug-specific cartridges complement wellness/disease-specific cartridges that are being launched by Theranos direct to consumers and physicians.

**Mobile Applications** – transmission of individualized content to 'smart,' automated 'counselors' on device touch-screens and users' mobile phones to assist with behavior modification and increase compliance with therapy

- Theranos' proprietary algorithms enable the correlation of blood data to efficacy dynamics profiles, behavior, lifestyle, diet, and side-effects.
- Truly individualized content is selected to help people change their lifestyles in a sustained way, through the integrated use of the back-end algorithms, models, and data in the data infrastructure.
- Content is based on data for patient 'classes,' which recognize physiological and psychological predispositions as well as local socio-environmental influences.
- Applications link users through social networks, where success stories compound through the combination of each tailored home health system with a given therapy.

**Theranos' Client Services include:**

**Customization**

- Devices
- Cartridges
- Informatics Systems
- Web portals
- Mobile applications for specific assets

**Study Planning**

- Biomarker selection

**Support**

- 24x7 live international call center
- New Information System features for in-person training of all site and where applicable, at-home device installations and training for patients
- Maintenance of information systems and all web and mobile applications

**Regulatory Filings**

- Compound-specific cartridges

**Distribution of the systems to consumers, physician's offices, and pharmacies**

- Sale and distribution of devices and cartridges
- Reimbursement for devices and cartridges

**Marketing** through the creation of Theranos' product-specific mobile, device and web-based wellness social networks

## **Exhibit 6**

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**From:** Elizabeth Holmes <eholmes@theranos.com>

**To:** Sunny Balwani [REDACTED]

**Date:** Wed, 12 Aug 2009 10:15:31 -0700

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Thanks,  
Carolyn

## **Exhibit 7**

## Message

**From:** Elizabeth Holmes [/O=THERANOS ORGANIZATION/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EHOLMES]  
**Sent:** 12/15/2009 7:32:42 PM  
**To:** thomas.breuer@gskbio.com  
**CC:** Sunny Balwani [sbalwani@theranos.com]  
**Subject:** Follow up to our meeting

Dear Thomas,

It was great to meet you.

In follow up to our conversations, I have attached three documents to this email.

The first is a consolidated summary of the GSK infrastructure we've designed in follow up to our interactions with people on the corporate side in information systems and strategy. We took ten slides on the applications in Biologicals and added them to the end of that summary – slides 28-38. The first slide highlights the ability to use the existing surveillance infrastructure to rapidly test the efficacy of existing vaccines against drifted strains of influenza virus using Theranos' strain-specific real-time antibody tests and the formulas we've established for the relationship between dose, antibody levels, and clinical outcomes.

The second is a copy of the validation report from the GSK staff who tested Theranos technologies in RTP. As you can see in that attachment, GSK's lab Director concluded that "Theranos Systems eliminate the need for a lab." The report shows the ability to get better sensitivity and real-time data using Theranos.

The third is a copy of a case study on Theranos' analytics also reviewed by GSK staff in detail during their due diligence process. This review focused on the ability to improve probability of success of realizing a target product profile with Theranos analytics. The case study details another company's use of Theranos analytics in registrational studies where the system increased POS from 15-80% and saved 18-24 months in clinical development timelines.

The Theranos Solution is a fully integrated and automated system for data capture, analysis, and care delivery. The data capture capability in combination with the predictive analytics capability has been the key to our success in accelerating development timelines.

We are very much looking forward to following up with your clinicians in Philadelphia. Is there a convenient time this week we could meet or arrange a video-conference? Please let us know how best to follow up.

Kind regards,  
Elizabeth.

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**GTS**

## **GSK's Strategic Enterprise Infrastructure**

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## Introduction to Theranos, Inc.

Theranos is a Silicon Valley-based healthcare company founded in 2003.

- Theranos provides fully customized solutions that impact a diverse range of stakeholders in health care by providing actionable information far earlier than historically possible
- Our current and past clients include 9 of the top 15 major pharmaceutical companies, mid-sized bio-pharmas, prominent research institutions and U.S. and foreign government health organizations

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## About Theranos

Founder and CEO Elizabeth Holmes left Stanford University to start Theranos around her patents for next-generation healthcare systems. She has built the company from inception to rapid commercial growth today.

Vice Chairman Sunny Balwani joined Theranos after leaving Microsoft to successfully build and sell his own company for over \$400M

Other Management Team Members:

- Dr. Channing Robertson, Dr. Seth Michelson, Jodi Sutton, Dr. David Lester, Dr. Marc Thibonnier

Theranos' investors and board members include, amongst others:

- Donald L. Lucas, the first venture capitalist in Silicon Valley, and a legend behind many of today's Fortune 500 companies
- Larry Ellison, Founder and CEO of Oracle Corporation
- Bob Shapiro, former CEO and Chairman of Monsanto and Pharmacia Corporations (now Pfizer); former director of NYSE, Citibank, and other major corporations
- Draper Fisher Jurvetson; ATA Ventures (spin-out of Institutional Venture Partners)

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## Theranos & GSK

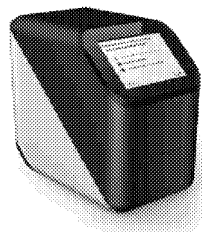
- GSK completed a comprehensive validation of Theranos Systems in 2008
  - Validation was independently conducted run by GSK staff at RTP
  - Validation concluded “Theranos Systems eliminate the need for a lab”
- Over the past four years, leads from all three business units across all therapeutic areas have evaluated and expressed interest in the Theranos infrastructure
- Theranos and GSK have a fully executed MSA
- Integrated architecture of Theranos infrastructure requires adoption at top corporate levels

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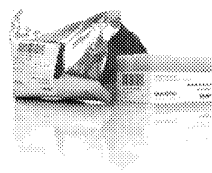


## Theranos Infrastructure Technologies

### Theranos Field Systems



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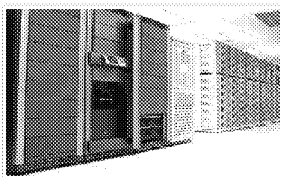


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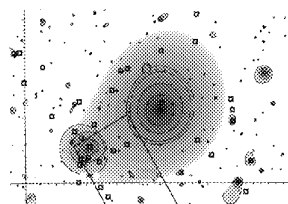


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Ex. the Health Assistant

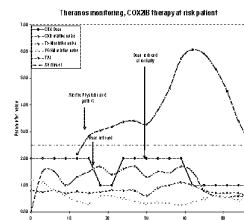
### TheranOS – Theranos Operating System



Data Infrastructure



Models and Algorithms



Decision Support Applications  
– Ex. Virtual Studies

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## GTS

- GTS is a fully integrated, enterprise wide health data capture (including blood testing), analysis and care delivery solution
- Accelerates clinical development timelines, improves probability of success (POS) of realizing each target product profile, and increases physician and patient adoption (increases sales)
- Comprised of Theranos Field Systems and the TheranOS
  - Integration of technologies and more frequent sampling identifies predictive signatures that have not been possible to characterize using the conventional analytical infrastructure (movie v. snapshot) to better and more rapidly characterize efficacy and safety
  - Infrastructure is self-learning and is refined with every new data point collected across any business unit
  - Provides predictive decision support tools for clinicians
  - Provides actionable, “smart” content back to patients to facilitate behavior modification
  - Data Collection, Analysis & Surveillance Infrastructure in emerging countries becomes care delivery infrastructure

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## Economic Impact for GSK

- Accelerate Clinical Development/Trial Timelines
- Improve Probability of Success of Realizing Target Product Profiles
- Increase Physician and Patient Adoption – Increase sales

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## Economic Impact for GSK

- Accelerate Clinical Development/Trial Timelines
    - Elimination of Logistical constraints (shipping samples, analyzing data, bringing patients into clinics, recruiting patients without knowing their response profiles, etc.) and
    - Faster, more integrated studies (adaptive trials and decision making)
- cumulatively reduce development timelines by (~3) years to facilitate earlier filings.
- Theranos' large pharmaceutical clients have valued the fully loaded cost of each day gained in time to market at \$1M/day



## Economic Impact for GSK

- Improve Probability of Success of Realizing Target Product Profiles
  - 5x improvements in probability of success for each asset
  - Salvage assets and improve labels (more first line therapies)
  - Realizing the improvement in attrition rate across the entire portfolio versus just one compound continually reduces the fully loaded cost of R&D
- 5x improvement in probability of success correlates with greater than 10% ROI on the total investment into a compound, averaging greater than \$200M/asset



## Economic Impact for GSK

- Increase Physician and Patient Adoption
  - Evidence based guidelines for starting/stopping/re-starting therapies to increase physician comfort with prescribing
  - Rapid publications for expanded use – new indications and amelioration of safety concerns
  - Improved care delivery through individualized feedback tools and better access to medicines through Theranos' decentralized testing infrastructures (in pharmacies, through health ministries, etc.)
- Increase sales by several multiples over current adoption/projections



## Return on Investment

- The value of GTS lies in the fact that it is a fully integrated solution for data capture, integration, analysis, (and therapeutic delivery) across business units.
- The integrated solution provides compounding ROI over any particular business unit or drug-specific component.
- The key to significant ROI on GTS is programmatic deployment, which yields short term cost savings against the initial customization investment in addition to longer term ROI measured in terms of time saved and improved POS of realizing the target product profile for each asset.

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## Immediate ROI: Executing on Healthcare Diversification Strategy

GTS is the vehicle for execution of GSK's strategic priorities and realization of the associated impact to earnings and growth

- Accelerated timelines ... simplifying GSK's operating model
- Improved POS ... delivering more products of value
- Increased adoption ... growing a diversified global business

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Theranos is the only company with full integration between sample analysis and analytical capabilities

## GTS integrates patient sample analysis with sophisticated analytical capabilities to increase R&D ROI.

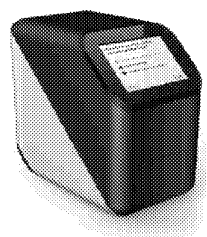
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Sample analysis				✓	✓	✓
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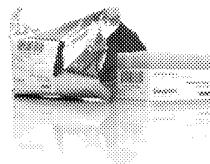
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## Theranos Field Systems



Devices



Cartridges



Mobile Applications –  
Ex. the Health Assistant

- Measure whole blood analytes from a finger stick in real-time at any desired point of care (home, clinic, or mobile units)
- Simultaneously collect behavioral and lifestyle information through intuitive graphical touch screen interface
- Data from each device automatically and securely transmitted to TheranOS in real-time through cellular network
- Actionable information sent back to devices and applications (i.e., the Health Assistant, Virtual Studies Application)
- Point-of-care analysis of fresh whole blood eliminates conventional testing infrastructure issues, such as:
  - Analyte decay rates
  - Volumes of blood and frequency of blood draws
    - Decreases sample volume by 98%
    - Sampling schemes no longer restricted
  - Cost and logistics of sample shipments

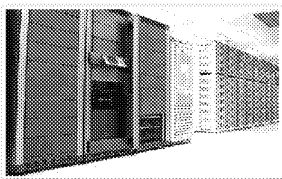
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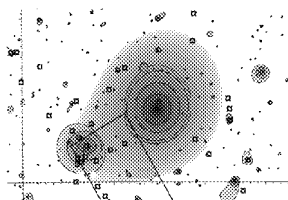




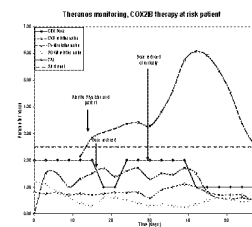
# TheranOS



Data infrastructure



Models and Algorithms



Applications –  
Virtual Study

- Data Infrastructure
  - Automatically imports data from any desired source.
  - Translates it into one standardized format.
  - Self-learning data engine
- Models
  - Dynamically models the integrated data sets in real-time
  - Fully integrated and inter-connected physiological, statistical, and epidemiological system
  - Characterize each compound's mechanism-of-action.
  - Characterize all pathophysiologies associated with realizing each compound's target product profile
- Customized Applications
  - Clinical trials simulation
  - Adaptive trials management, in compliance with existing regulatory guidelines
  - Accessed through secure online web portal

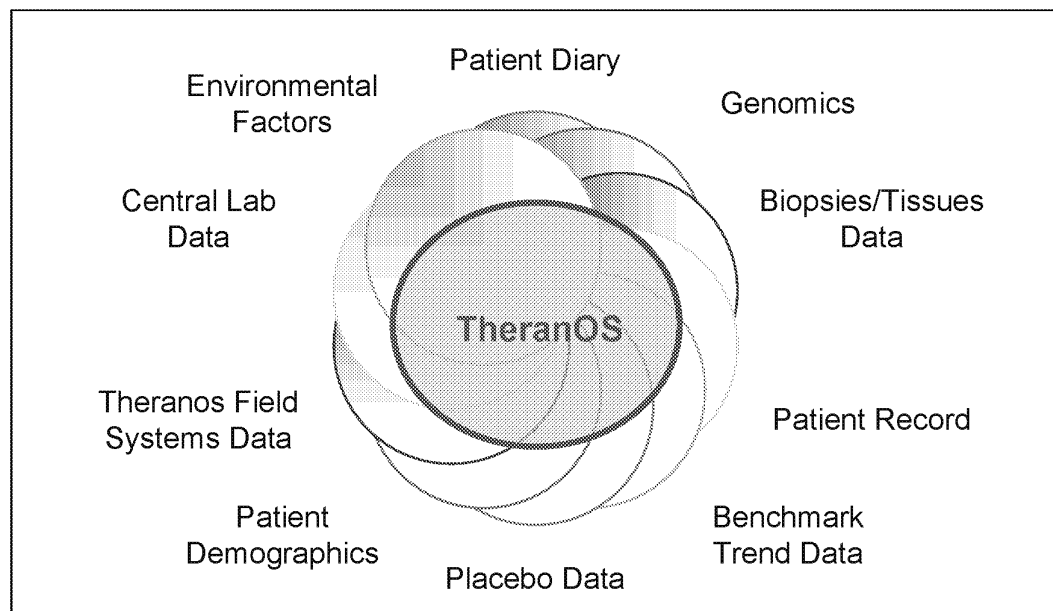
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## TheranOS: Proprietary Data Integration, Translation

- Proprietary import tool on web portal allows for automatic importation and standardization of data from all clinical databases.
- All data is automatically integrated with Theranos Field Systems data, centralized, and passed through predictive models.



### TheranOS Data Infrastructure

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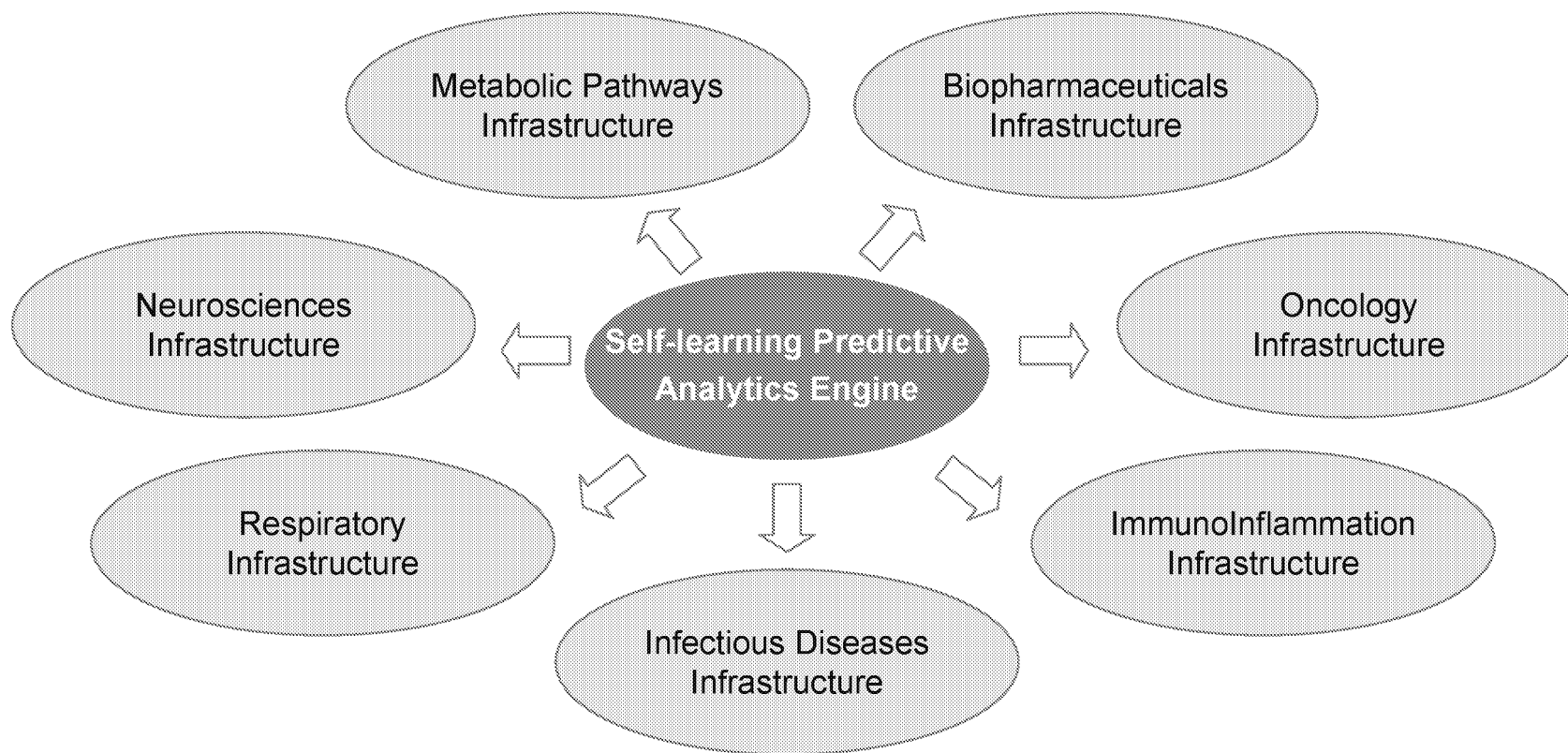


## GTS Architecture Drives Deployment Plan

- A cornerstone of GTS' architecture is the inflammation engine.
- The central role of inflammation in the disease process and tissue damage/repair, allows one to apply the GTS infrastructure across various therapeutic areas and business units.
- Deployment of a customized inflammation platform provides the ability to rapidly integrate data from different pathophysiological states for predicting and establishing novel therapeutic indications.
  - GTS engine learns from every new data point and models become increasingly predictive -compounding predictive power
- Drug-specific models and cartridges are built on GTS' pathway architecture to conform to existing business unit structure.
  - TheranOS allows for data integration & exploitation across a broad range of existing data capture tools.



## Rapid Customization of GTS: Therapeutic Area Infrastructures



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## Decision support applications:

TheranOS Software for each Therapeutic Area:

- Probability Mapping Application
- Health Assistant
- GTS Assistant
- Adaptive Studies
- Ontologies
- Predictive Signatures
- Biomarker Identification Application (BIA)
- Virtual Study Application
- Others

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## Data Collection Library & Care Delivery Tools:

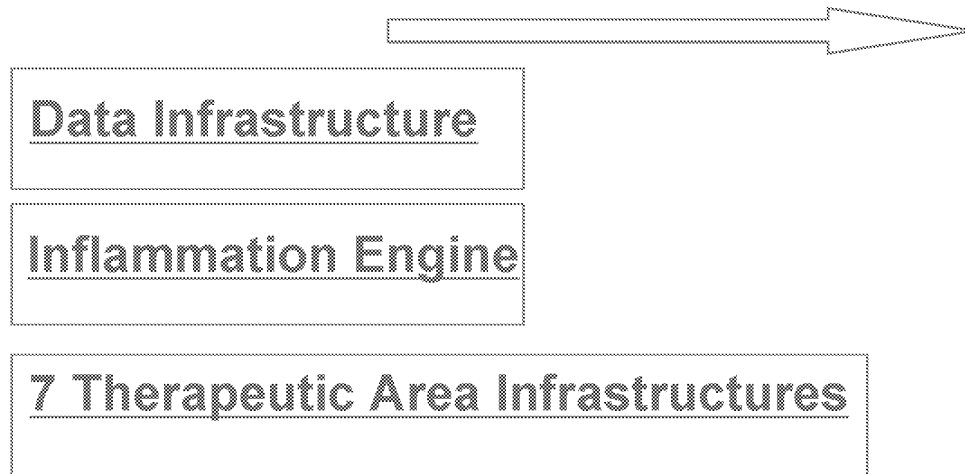
For each therapeutic area:

- Cartridge tests – libraries of ~250 tests per disease area
- Device touch-screen software applications and embedded sensors – blood pressure, weight, others
- Mobile phone applications

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## Rolling infrastructure set-up

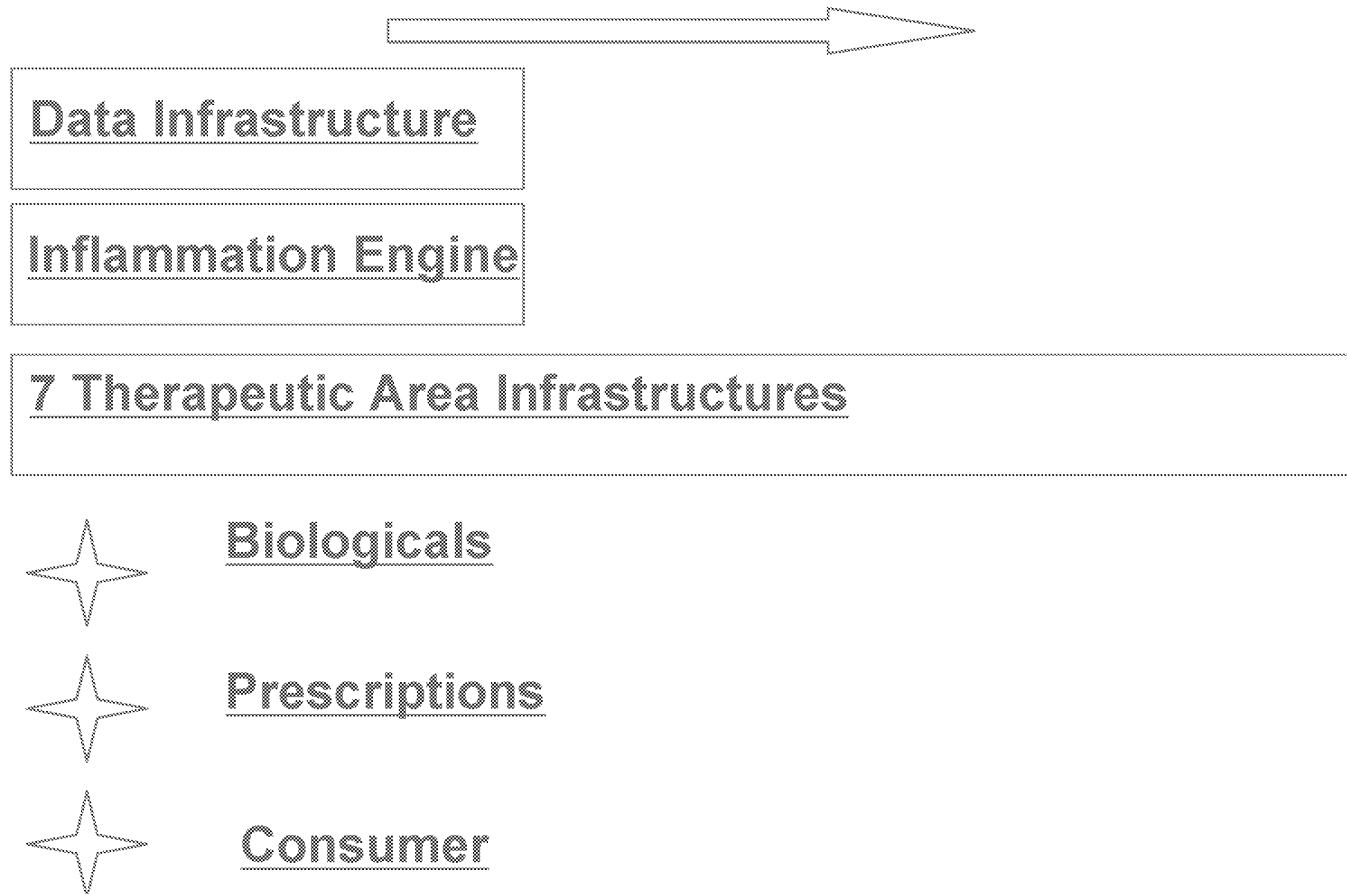


Customization and activation of base GSK data infrastructure and learning engines followed by rolling set up of 7 therapeutic area infrastructures

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## Rolling infrastructure set-up

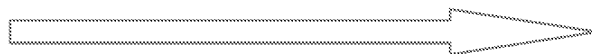


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## Rolling infrastructure set-up



Biologicals: Influenza (vaccine) → Oncology  
→ Others



Prescriptions: Unprecedented Early  
Development Compounds, REMS, LpPLA-2  
→ Early Development, Phase III, Phase IV &  
Post marketing studies



Consumer: Weight loss (alli) → Smoking  
Cessation → Others

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## Deployment of GTS

- Customization, Installation, and License of enterprise infrastructure
- Deployment of consumables for studies
- License expansion – Deployment of additional drug-specific models/consumables



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### GTS in Biologicals



## Rapid Validating Efficacy of Existing Vaccines Against Drifted Strains of Influenza Virus

- Theranos characterized relationship between dose, clinical efficacy, and antibody titers to influenza strains on its validated point-of-care systems.
- Assays identify functional, strain-specific antibodies from a finger-stick of fresh whole blood.
- Once deployed in a clinical study, patients could be immediately challenged with the actual virus and followed for 2+ weeks to assess whether the existing vaccine is efficacious.
- If not, the same infrastructure could be used to rapidly assess optimal dose and efficacy of a new vaccine.

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## Influenza Surveillance Infrastructure

Real-time development and deployment of antibody, cytokine, and efficacy/safety marker measurements from finger-stick of blood /nasal swab run on point-of-care device

- Characterize velocity of antibody decay
- Accelerate development of new vaccines to mutations
- Quantitatively characterize efficacy and safety profiles to ameliorate concerns and differentiate GSK vaccines
- Guide optimal administration of vaccines
- Provide real-time measurement of efficacy and immunity

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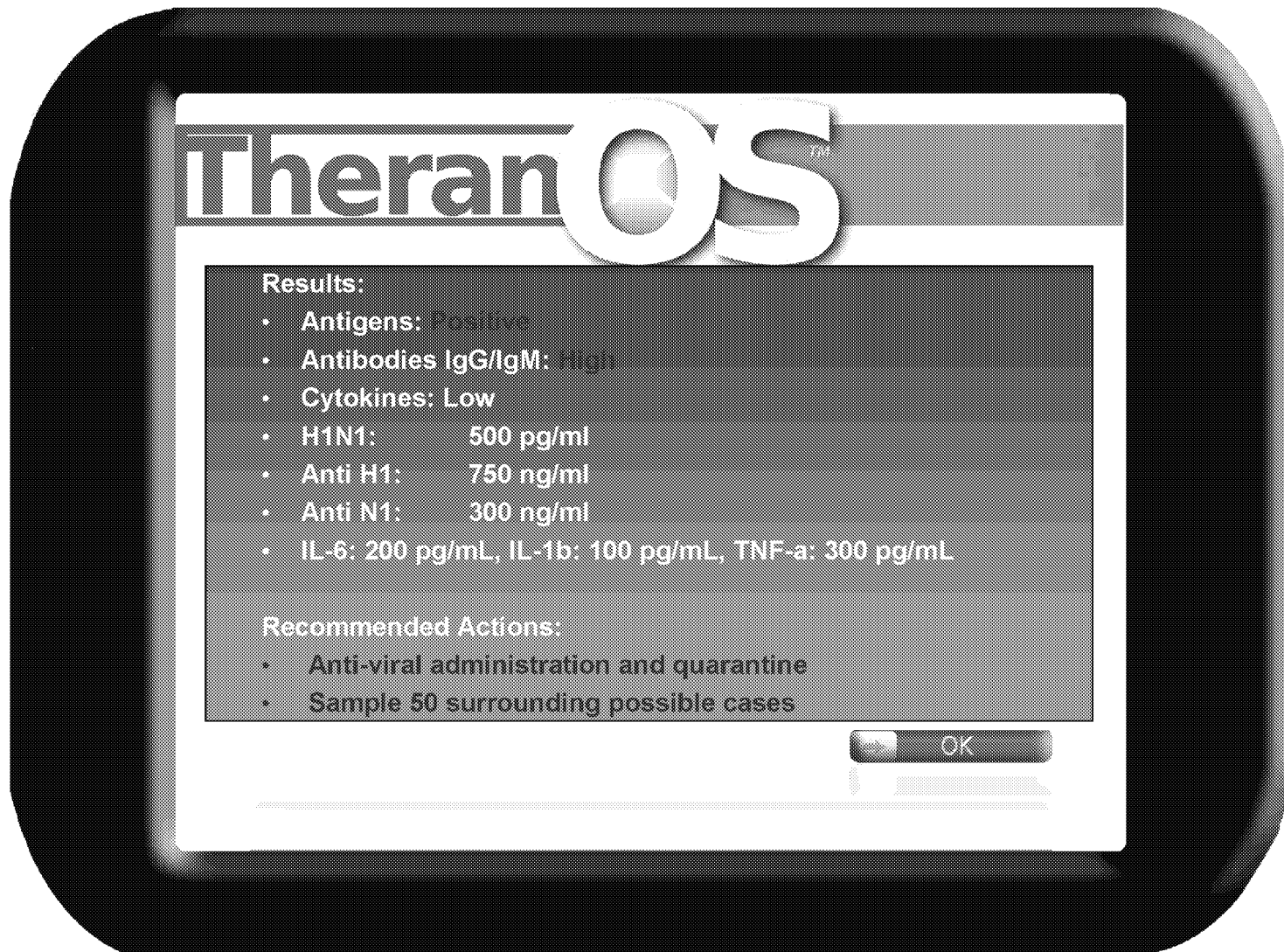
## Influenza Surveillance Infrastructure

Modeling and simulation of efficacy and safety dynamics and projected spread and mutation of the virus

- In-silico comparative effectiveness studies to optimally power head-head studies with antibody/efficacy cartridges
- Virtual studies to rapidly optimize dose and minimize safety issues
- Rapidly power (adaptive) studies
- Detect any mutation of the H1N1 virus as it emerges.
- Project spread of disease and mutations

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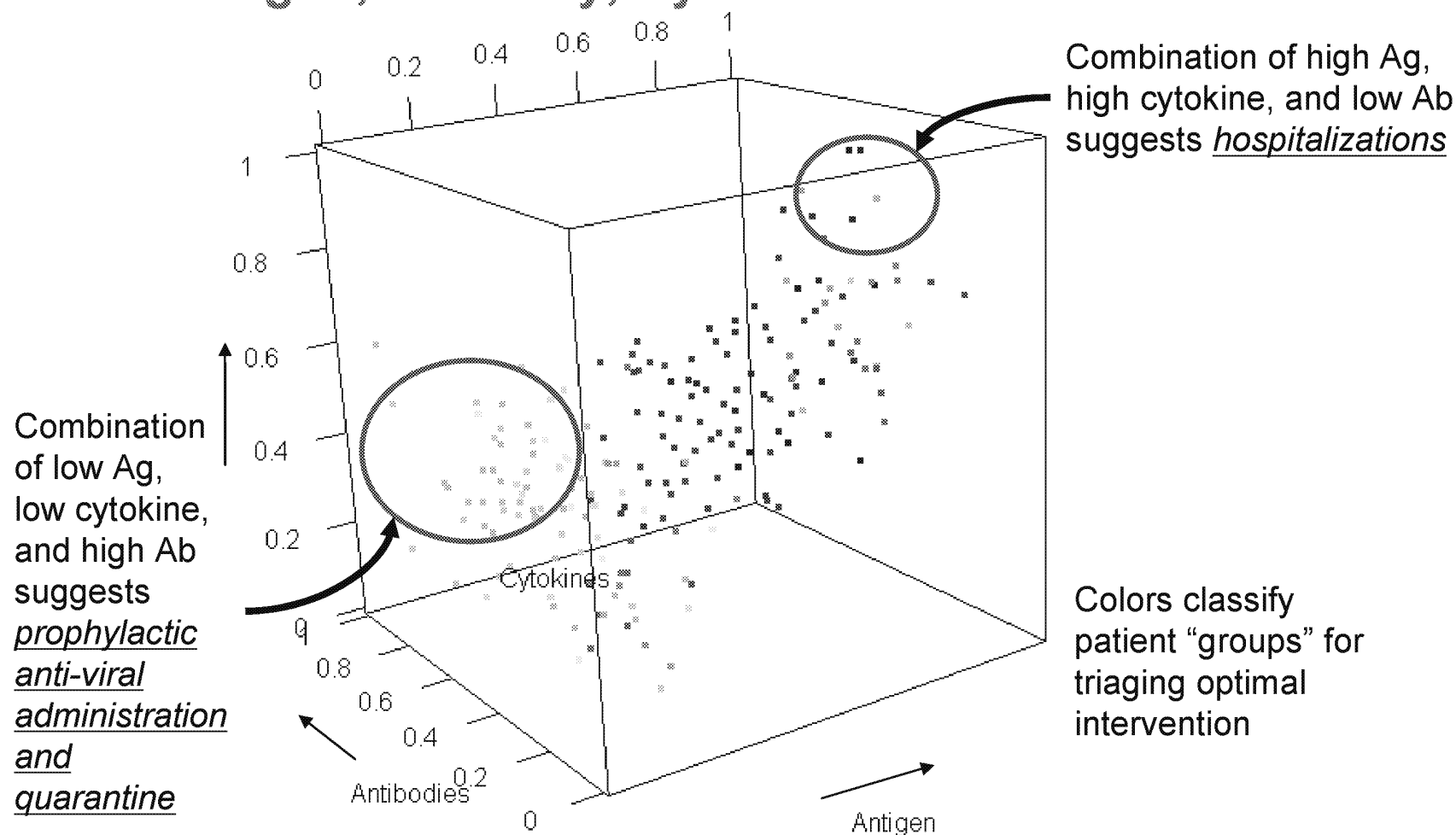


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## Recommended Actions Depend on Levels of Antigen, Antibody, Cytokine and Other Markers



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## THS Modeling Platform Capabilities

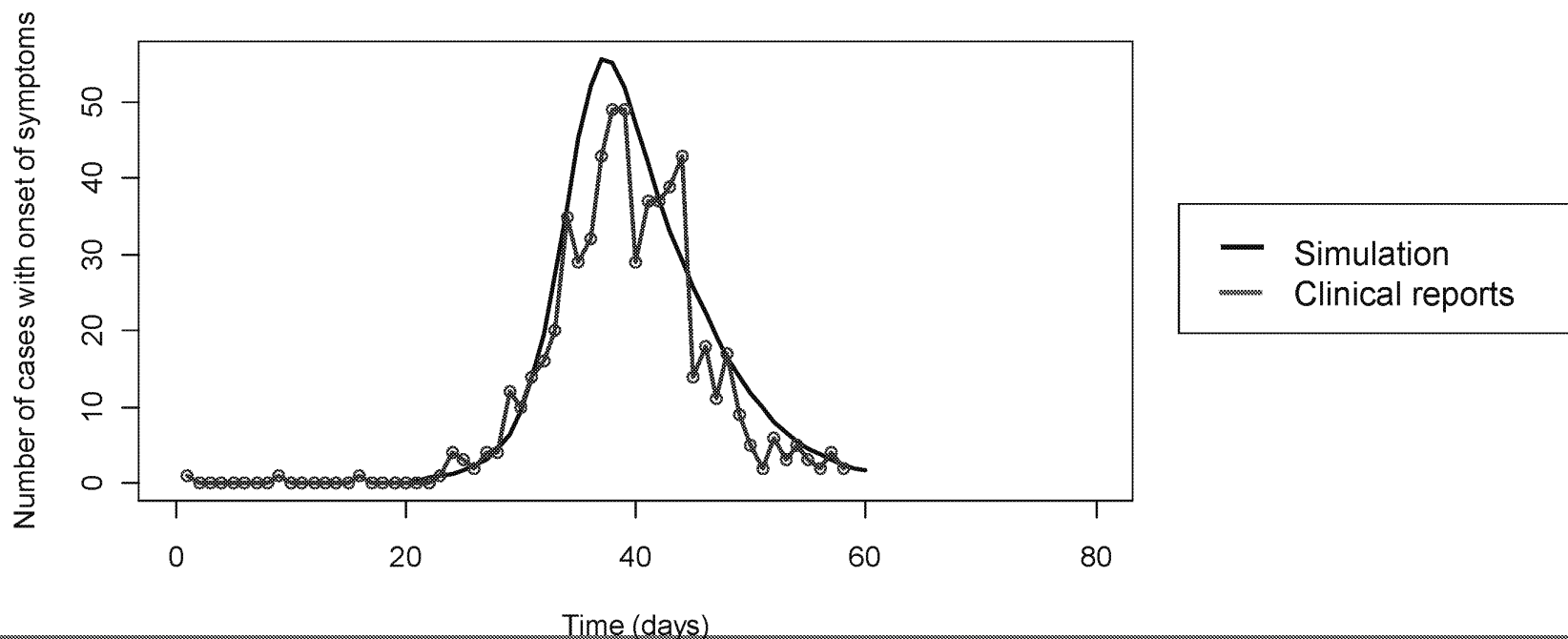
1. Predicts spread of an infectious pathogen in a heterogeneous human population.
2. Reflects the impact of regional demographics and patient risk factors.
3. Enables evaluation of healthcare mitigation policies, for example:
  - Surveillance/testing strategies
  - Hospitalization, home isolation, and quarantine policies
  - Prophylactic vaccination and anti-viral treatment policies
  - School and workplace closures; other social distancing measuresEnables cost assessment and evaluation of quality adjusted life years (QALY) saved by comparing alternative mitigation approaches.
4. Is fully integrated with real-time data acquisition, enabling model updates based on the latest data acquired from multiple sources
5. Includes automated, frequent model updates.
  - Leads to more accurate projections for spread.
  - Allows health agencies to rapidly adapt to changing conditions.

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## THS Model Accurately Reproduces Spread of La Gloria Outbreak

- All models are validated by reproducing historical data

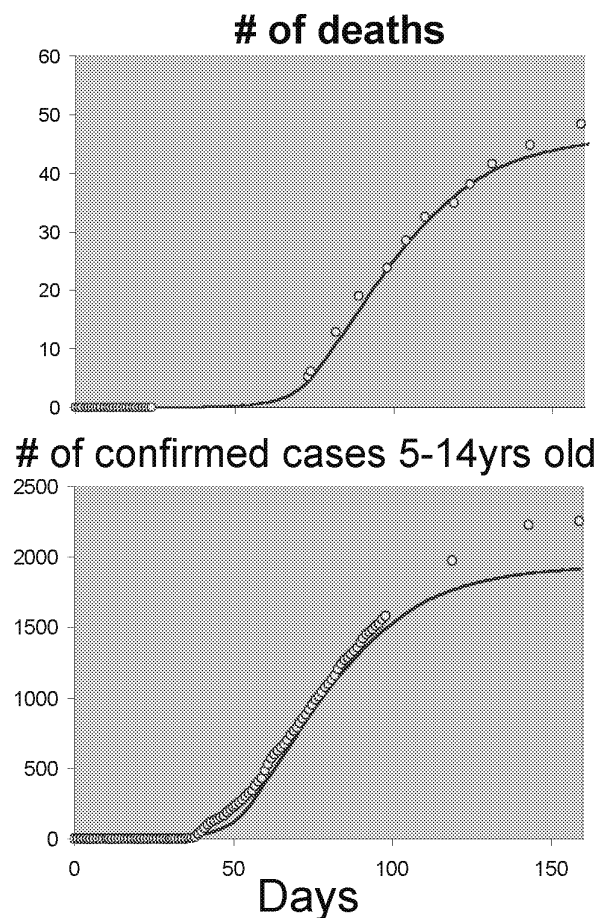
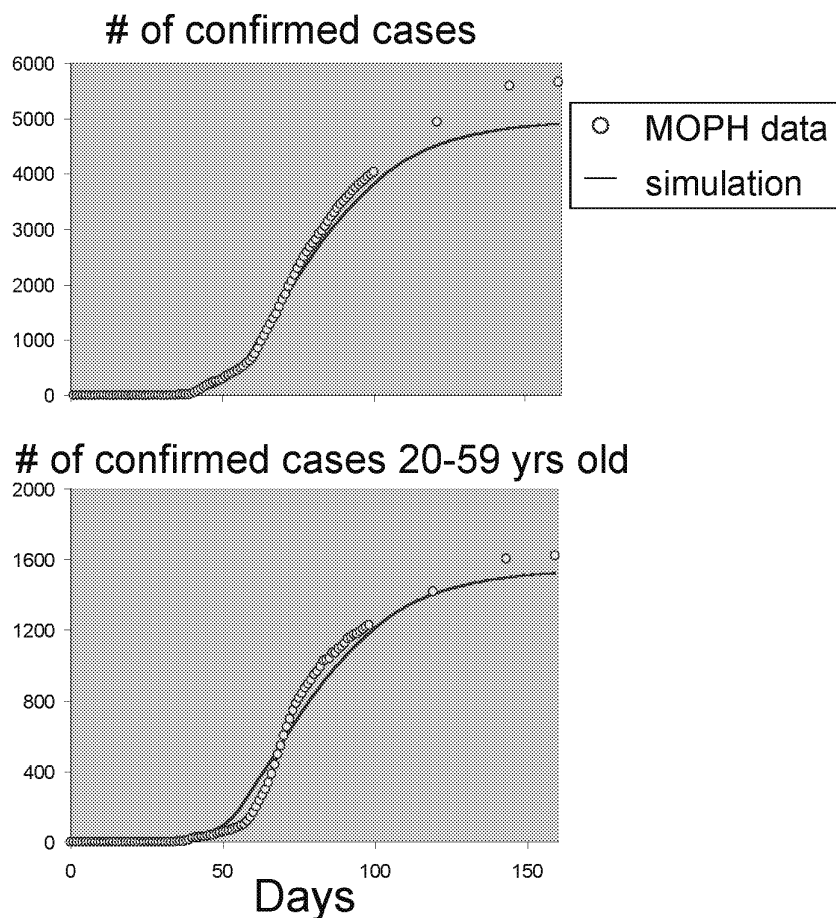


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# Model Reproduces Bangkok Publicly Reported H1N1 Data Including Deaths and Age-Dependence

Total cases ~20,000; reported cases significantly less.



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## Selected Oncology Applications

- Rapid expansion of use through predictive visibility (models) and early reads (cartridges) on efficacy and safety in new indications
  - MAGE-3 expansion
- Virtual and rapid head-head studies for comparative differentiation
  - Cervarix differentiation – characterization of velocity of antibody decay and need for re-boost
- Combination tests for low cost, real-time identification of antigen levels/presence of genetic signature from finger-stick of fresh whole blood run on point-of-care device in pharmacies, physician's offices, and other remote locations
  - MAGE-3 “responder” identification

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## Deployment of GTS

- Decision support applications provide compounding predictive power
  - Inflammation/immunology/humeral response models form foundation of data analytics engine
  - Data analytics engine facilitates data integration and connectivity between disease-specific infrastructures:
    - Viral & Allergy Vaccines
    - Bacterial Vaccines
    - Emerging Diseases & HIV
    - Cancer Vaccines
- Data collection, analytics and surveillance infrastructure facilitates Care Delivery in emerging countries through placement of devices in remote locations

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### Excerpts from GSK Metabolic Study Report

Nelson Rhodes, Director GSK Metabolic Biomarker Laboratory  
 Surekha Gangakhedkar, Theranos Assay Systems Lead

#### Background information:

The Theranos system was evaluated at GSK to profile active GLP-1 and C-peptide values and these data were compare to “gold standard” ELISAs using frozen human plasma from study XXXXXXXX. The key project objectives (found in the attached statement of work) were:

- To assess the performance of the Theranos System in measuring a multiplex for GLP-1 and c-peptide values (the “Cartridge Analytes”) as compares to the current gold standard ELISAs (which are not multiplexed).
  - Specifically, the study will assess Theranos’ capabilities to detect points that the reference assays failed to accurately detect by running samples with C-peptide values in a standard range (ng/mL) and GLP-1 values between 0-3.2 pM
- To assess the functionality, specificity, reproducibility, accuracy, and precision of the Theranos System.
- Assess the Theranos data reporting and transfer functions

Thirty plasma samples (assayed in duplicate) were chosen based on historical GSK data for total GLP-1 levels from subjects given a mixed meal and two finger prick blood draws were performed. Five Theranos machines were used with active GLP-1 and C-peptide cartridges that required 20µL of plasma. MesoScale Discovery’s (MSD) active and total GLP-1, Linco (Millipore) active GLP-1, and Linco (Millipore) C-peptide ELISAs were run as comparator assays.

#### GSK Metabolic Biomarker Lab comments:

- Data show good correlation
  - $r^2 = 0.90$  for GLP-1 (MSD vs. Theranos)
  - $r^2 = 0.96$  for C-peptide (Linco vs. Theranos)
- Inter-instrument precision (RLU average %CV = 11)
- Machines worked well
- Touch-screen interface was easy to use
- Cartridges were pretty straight forward (easy to handle and load)
- Assays took approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes per cartridge

#### Overall conclusions:

- The Theranos system eliminates the need for a lab and provided quality data
- The Metabolic Biomarker Lab has a favorable impression of the technology/system and recommends GSK clinical groups to work with Theranos



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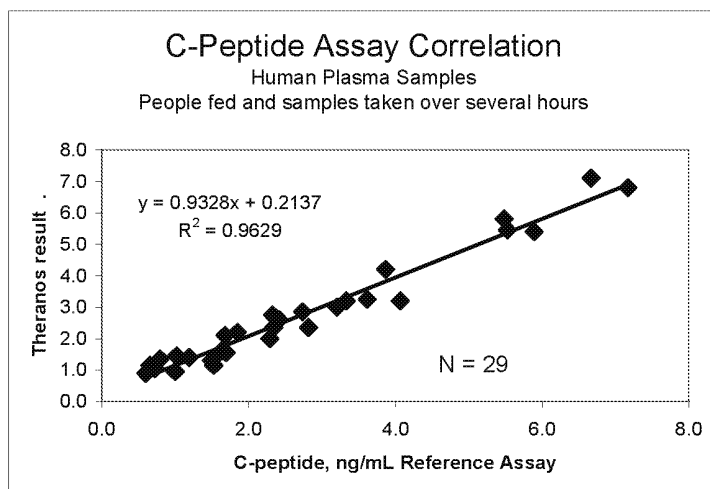
## Study design

- Human subjects
- Food “challenge”
- Measure GLP-1 and C-Peptide multiplex over 5 time points
  - Linco Assay
  - MSD Assay
  - Theranos Assay

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## C-Peptide Assay

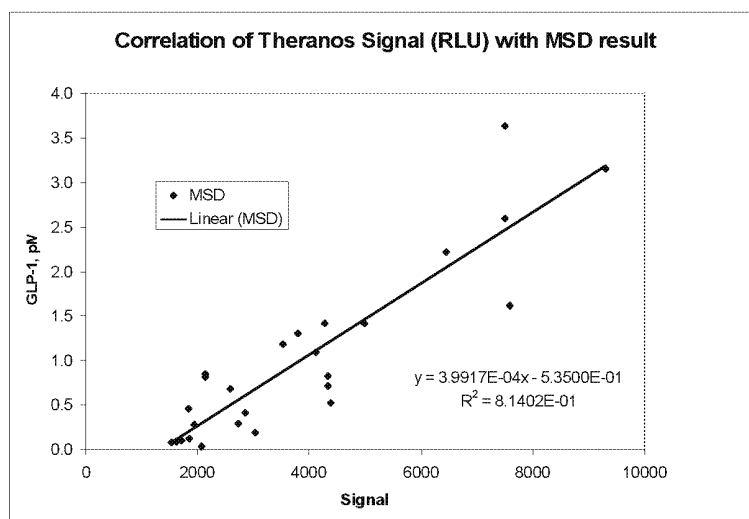
Averaged results



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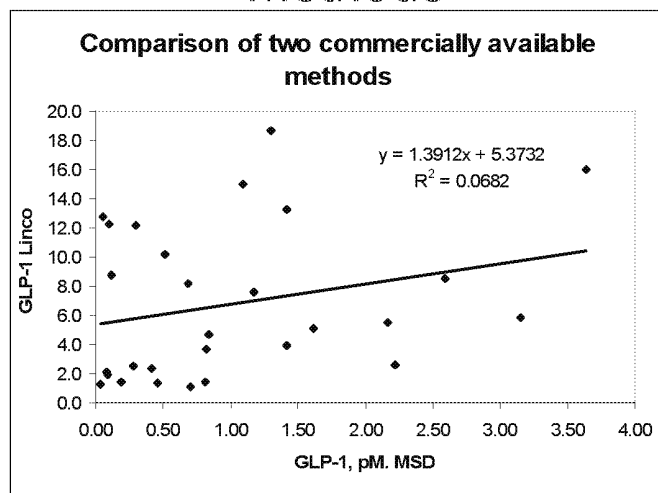
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## Calibration to GSK matrix



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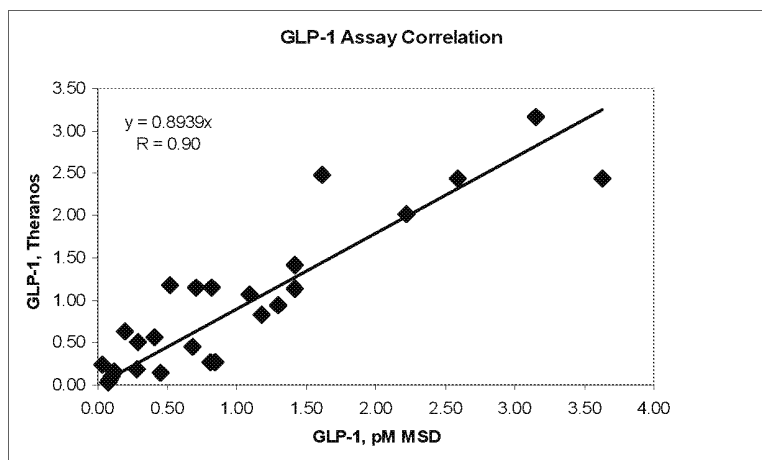
## Lack of correlation of predicate methods



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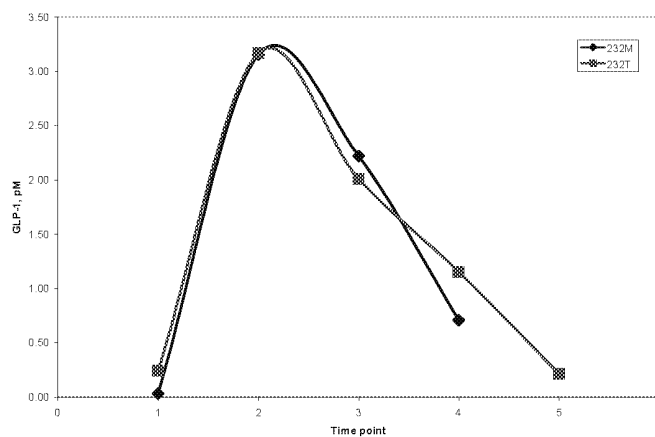
## Assay correlation



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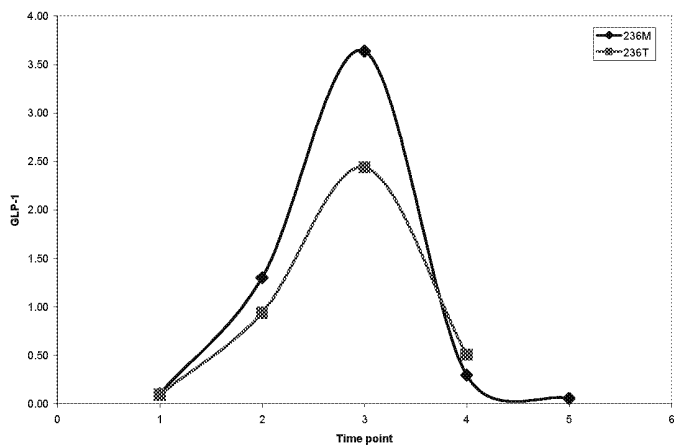


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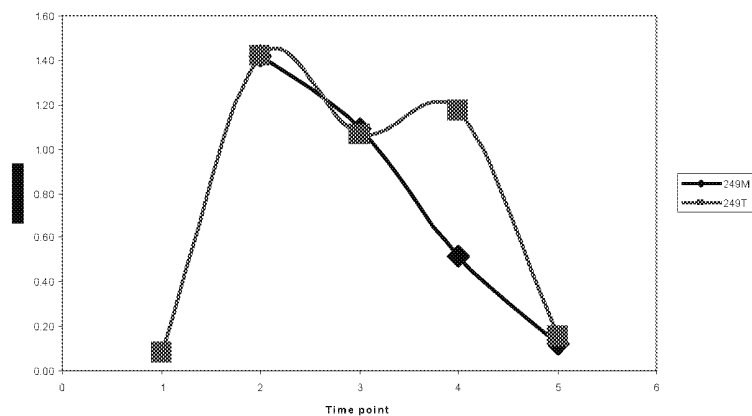
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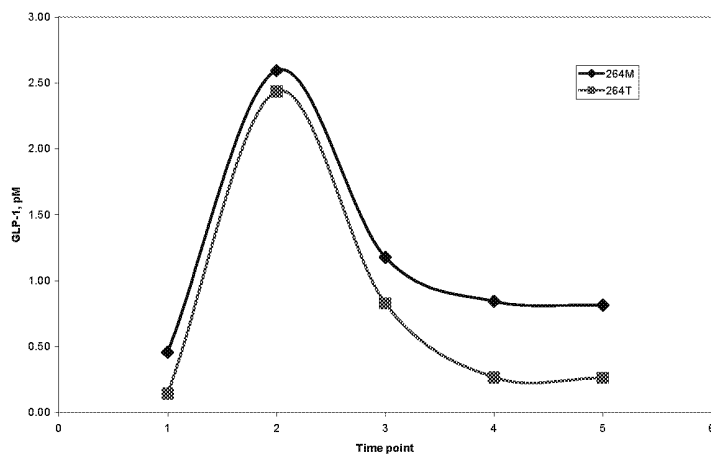


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# Subject 264

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## Summary Statistics GLP-1 Comparison

- Theranos LOD = 0.17 pM
- Dynamic range measured: 0-3.2 pM
- Mean = 0.9 pM (Th), 1.0 (MSD)

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## TPS Case Study: Client ROI

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## Virtual Study Application

TheranOS Virtual Study Application enables more efficient clinical study design, conduct, and analysis through in-silico:

1. Comparison of alternative clinical study designs
2. Exploration of drug effects on multiple physiologic outputs
3. Examination of patient response variance in order to power the clinical study
4. Optimization of dose regimens
5. Examination of the magnitude and variance of side effects





## Virtual Study Application

TheranOS Virtual Study Application enables more efficient clinical study design, conduct, and analysis through in-silico:

6. Identification and selection of sub-populations having different physiologic responses
7. Identification of predictive patterns for early reads on efficacy and safety
8. Refinement of enrollment criteria.
9. Probability analysis of likely clinical outcomes for a given design.
10. Head-head studies for comparative effectiveness
11. ...

Simulations can be run before a study is designed and dynamically throughout each study.



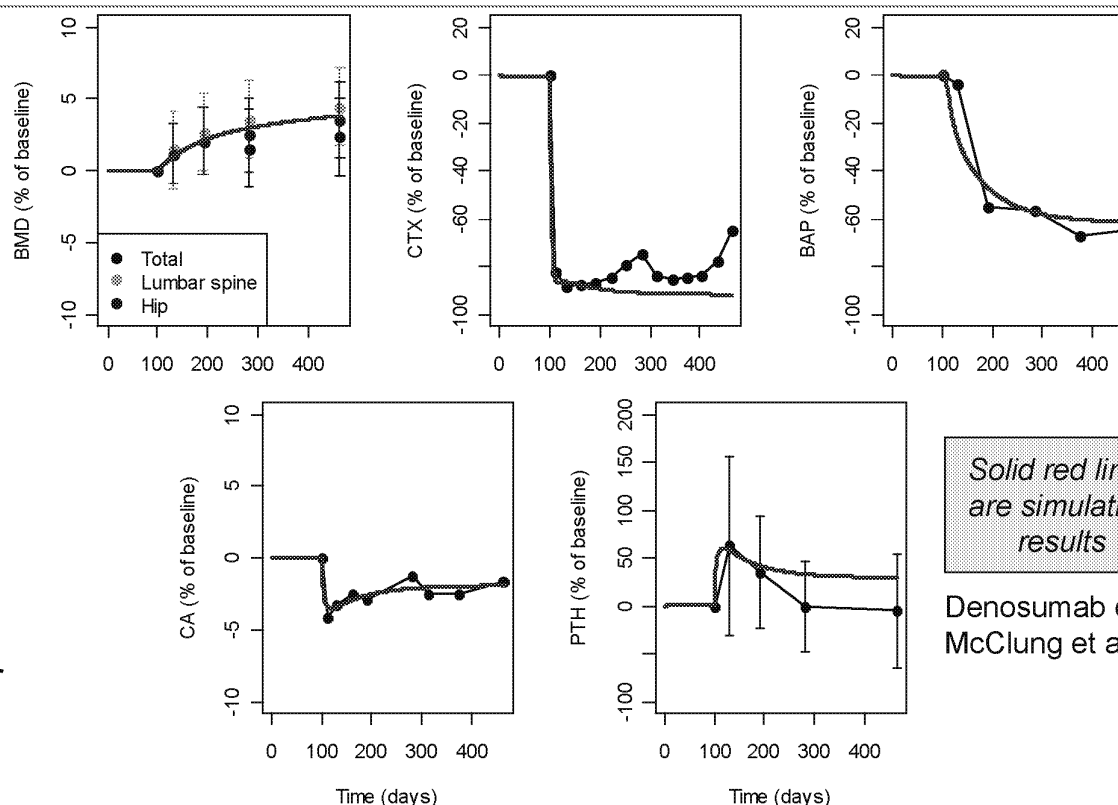
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## TheranOS Comprehensive Physiological Models

Using the interconnected physiological modeling engine, simulated optimal therapy regimens for maximum efficacy and minimal adverse events for asset that acts on multiple pathways.

- 95% target inhibition reproduced key behaviors reported in the clinical study of compound
- The model predicts the efficacy profiles of the drug, even without accounting for its *mechanism of action* (MOA models built for other drugs)
- Model identified a predictive signature of BMD that is measurable ~6 months prior to physical changes in BMD

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## Example of TPS in Compound Development for Anemia and Bone-related Disease

1. Customized TheranOS for automated data integration, analysis and real-time self-learning
  - Compounding predictive power from all Client-generated data
2. Developed and validated physiologic-based mechanistic modeling and simulation system
  - Captured effects of target inhibition by Compound treatment
  - Included target patient phenotypes based on literature and healthy patient responses to Compound
  - Optimized design, evaluation, execution of (adaptive) clinical trials for Compound
  - Led to novel biomarkers for efficacy and/or safety, enhancing patient treatment with Compound



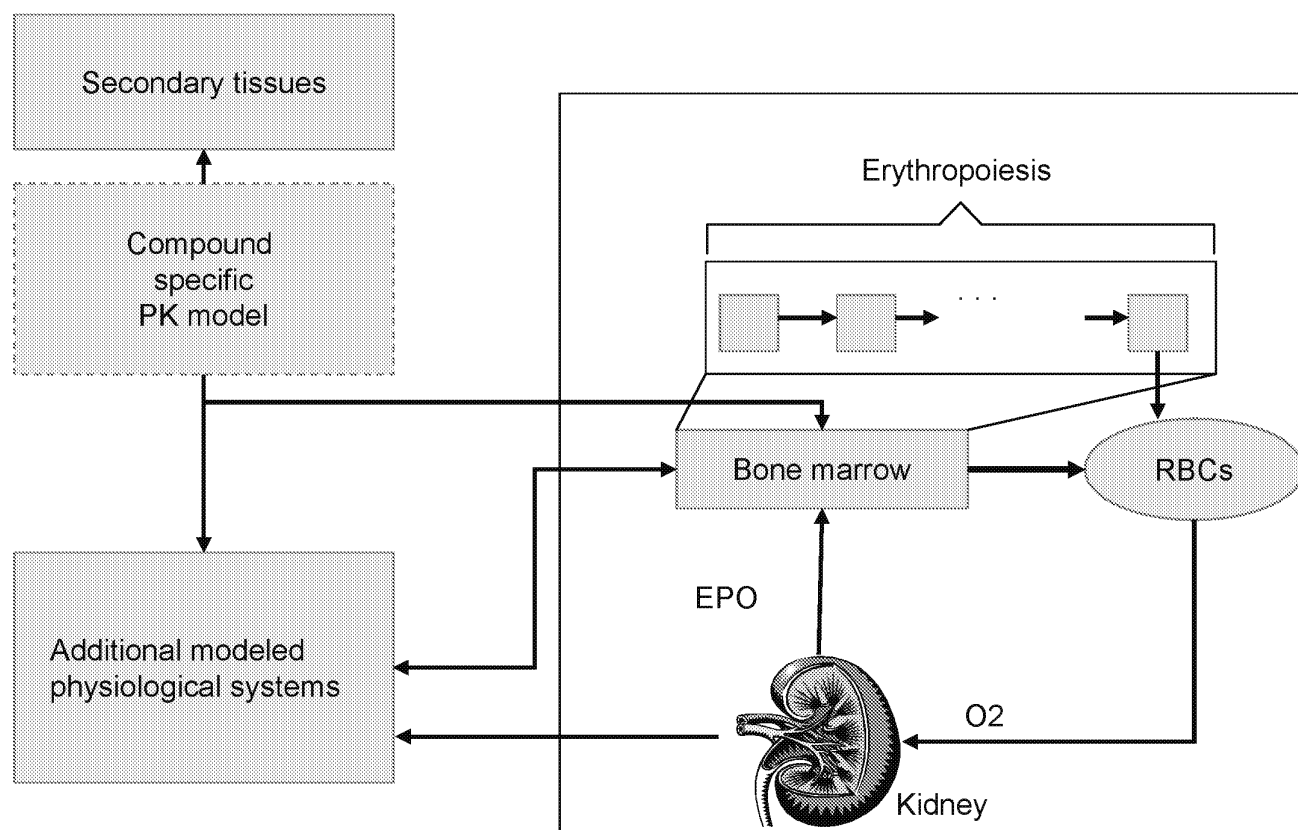
## Example (cont'd)

3. Virtual Study Application used to optimize Phase IIa trial design for target patient population
  - Recommended designs enhance power of trial
    - Increased probability of success
    - Provided support for regulatory reviews
  - Integrated data sets and models used by Client to run in-house simulations
  - Easy-to-use interface for in-house ownership/use of highly complex, proprietary modeling system
4. TheranOS applications integrated with Theranos Field Systems yielding compounding predictive power
  - Automated data integration, analysis, self learning and model refinement for trial design, analysis, and patient monitoring
  - Extended to include additional indications for Compound and for other compounds and their indications/target profiles



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## Schematic Overview of Physiological Model



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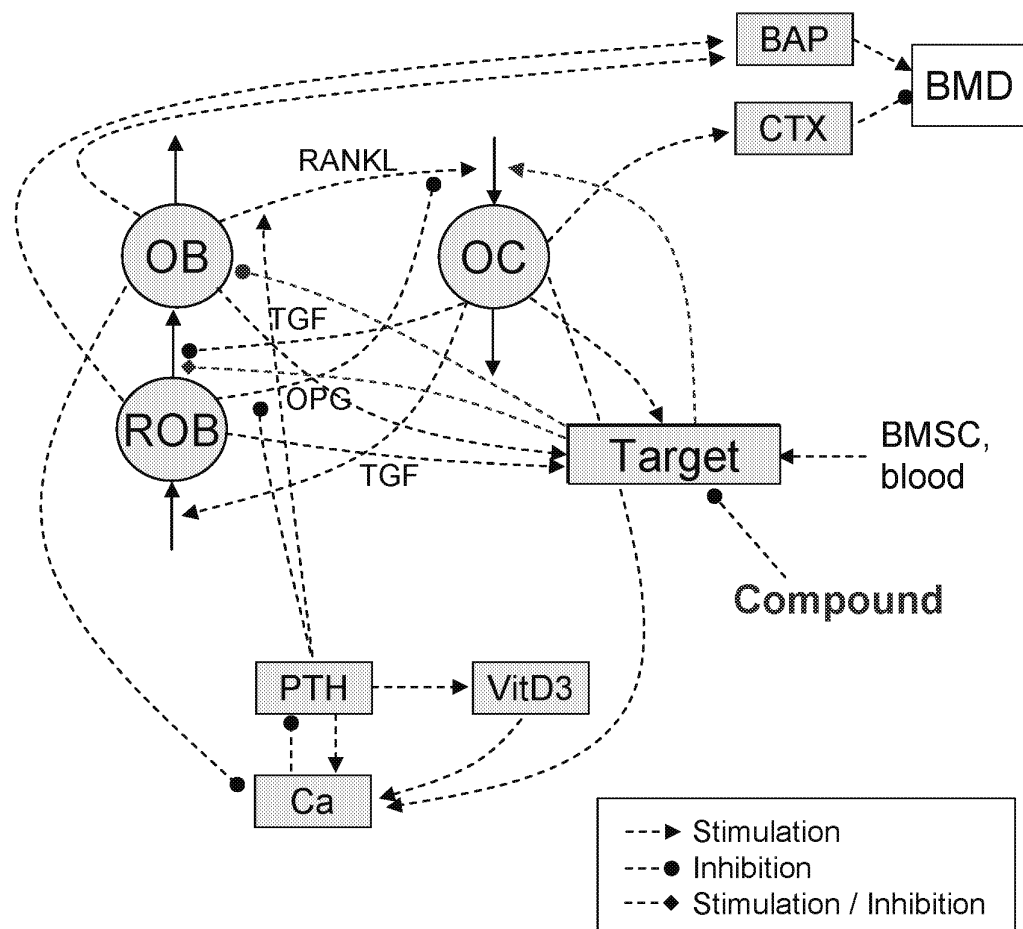
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# Summary Illustration of Quantitative Model Representing the Dynamics of Bone Metabolism



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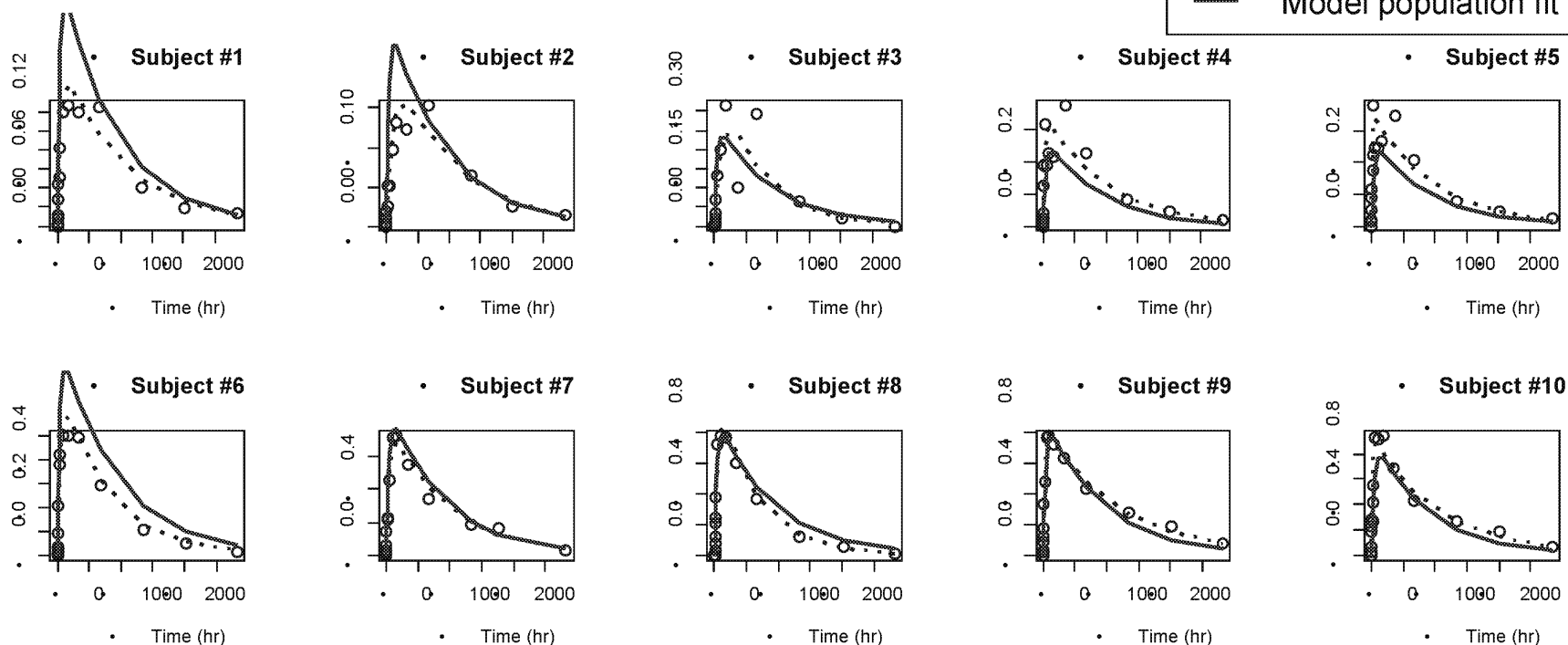


CASE STUDY B

# Pop-PK Mixed-Effects Modeling for Compound SC Administration

- First-order one-compartment model was used to fit the Compound SC PK data.
- Model data accurately predicts clinical PK profiles

○ Clinical data  
 ..... Model individual fit  
 — Model population fit



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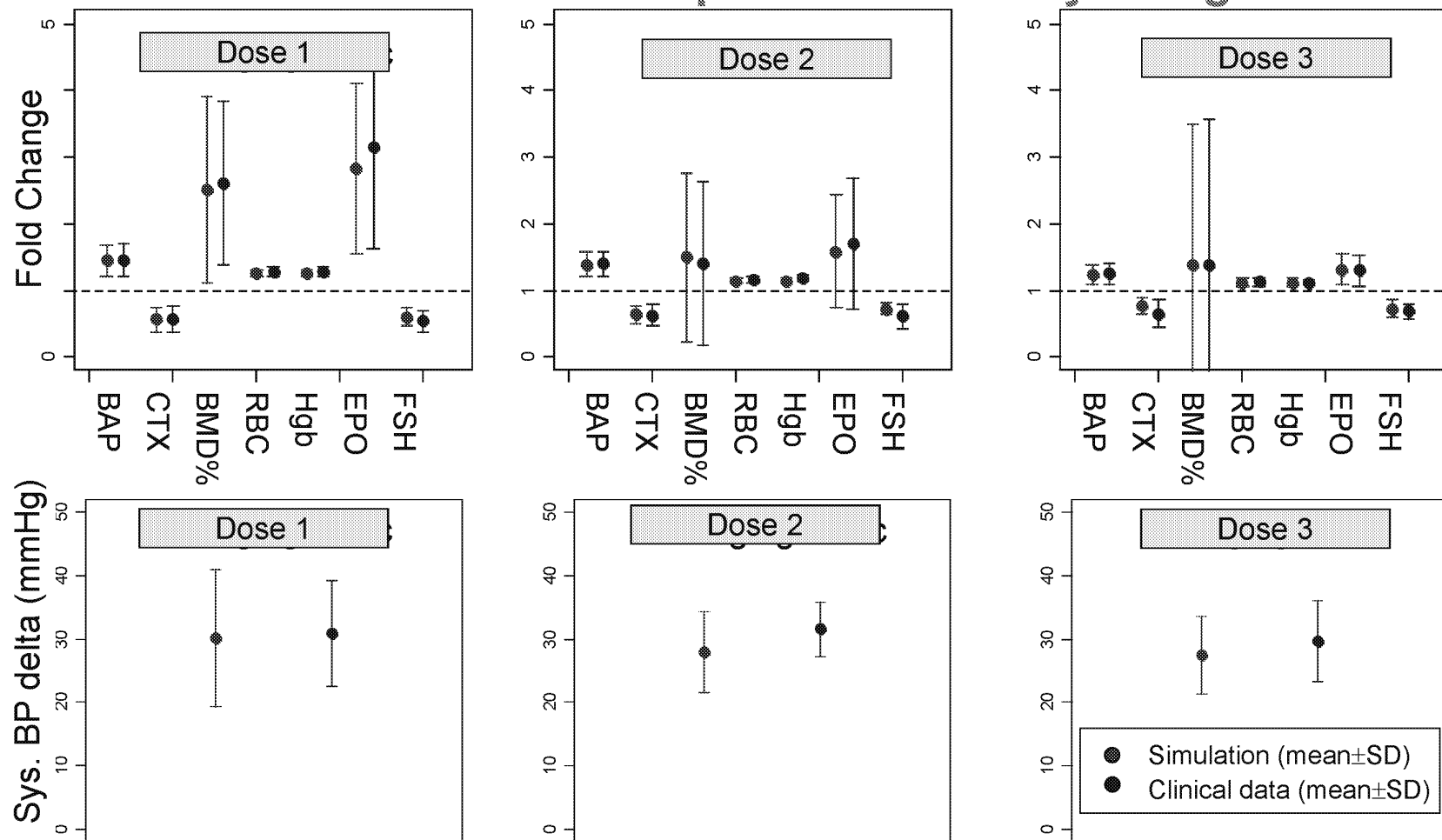
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## Simulated Peak Responses Predicted High, Mid, and Low Dose Response for All Physiologies



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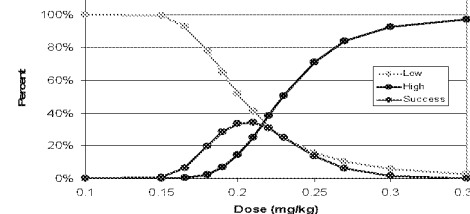


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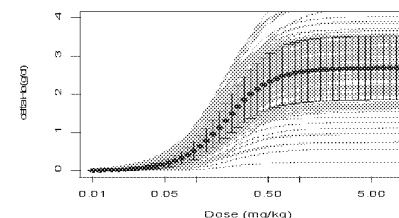
## Virtual Study Application Increased Study POS

Simulations increased probability of study success by allowing users to optimize protocol and dosing titration schemes in-house prior to study initiation.

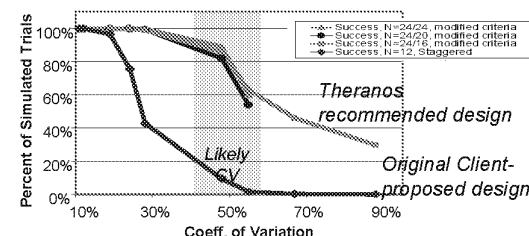
Simulation of probability of 'successful outcome' indicated high probability of study failure ...



... due to underlying variability of responses



TPS optimized study design, dosing regimen, and titration parameters, increasing the probability of success 5x



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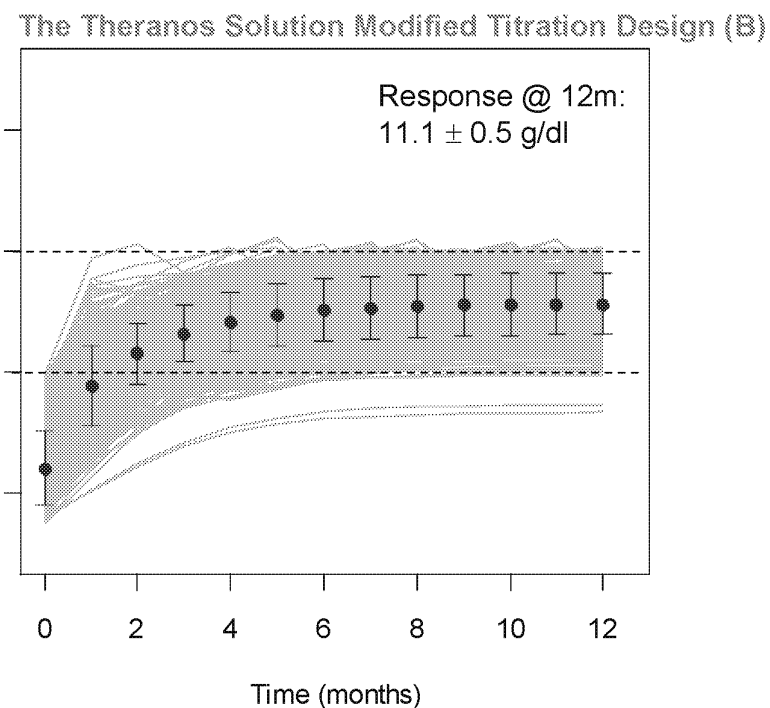
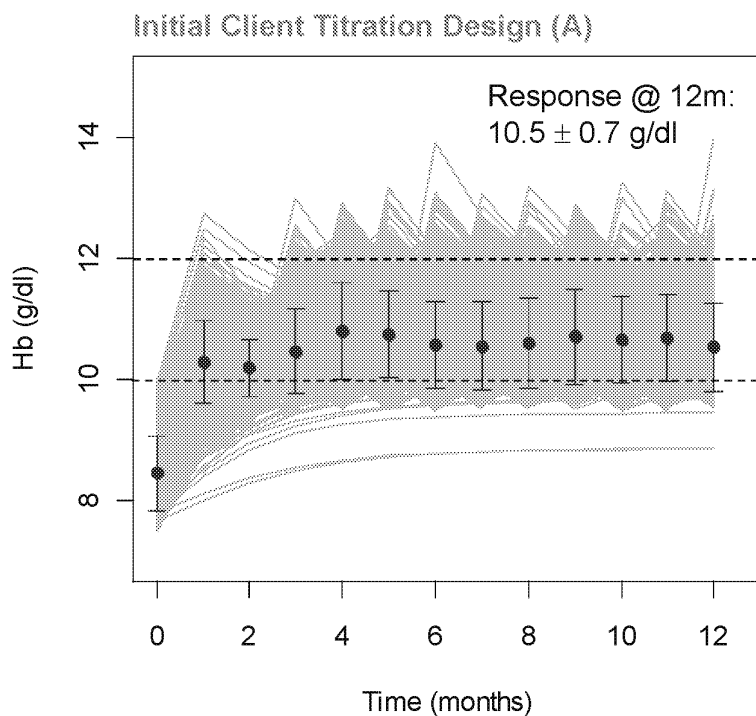
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## Virtual Study Application used to improve POS

New titration design resulted in lower variance, leading to fewer excursions above maximum desired response and significantly decreasing frequency of safety issues.



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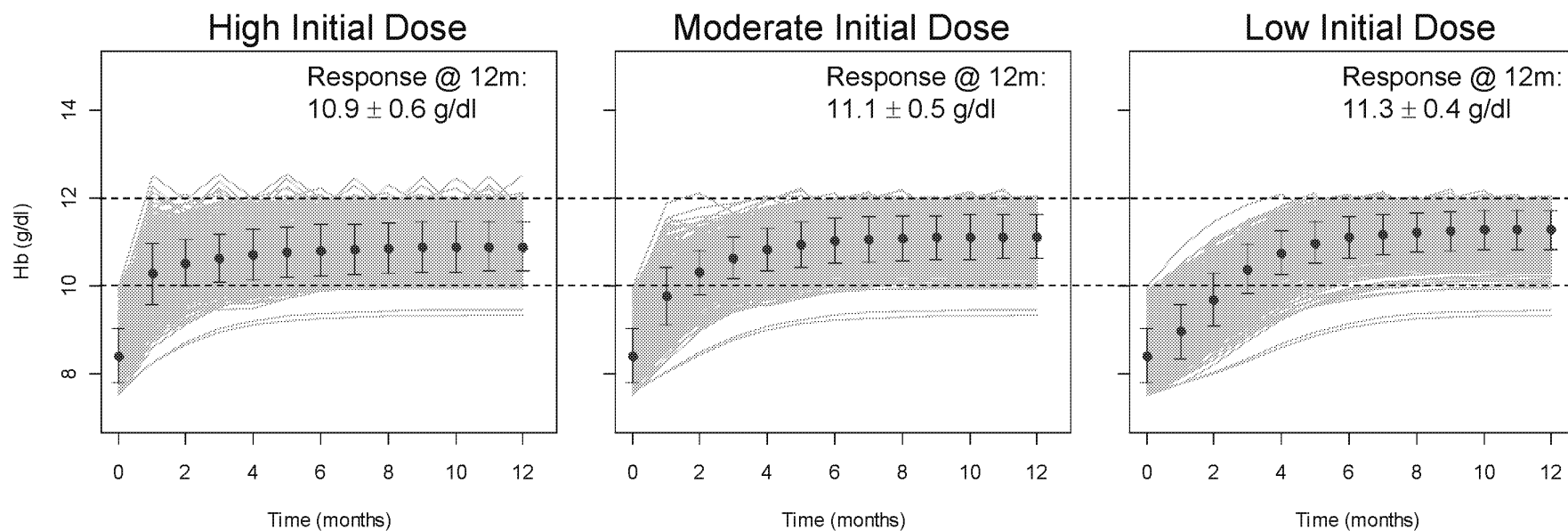
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## Further Dose Titration Optimization

Further optimization of dose titration yielded even better efficacy and safety across three initial dose scenarios.



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## Safety and Efficacy Profile

Based on this safety and efficacy profile, the final design was recommended, as it:

- Significantly enhances both safety and efficacy under all conditions for heterogeneous patient populations
- Improves long-term Hgb maintenance by reducing “on-off” dosing and wide Hgb swings
- Reduces variance of Hgb response and treatment dose
- Is robust to initial dose given to the cohort

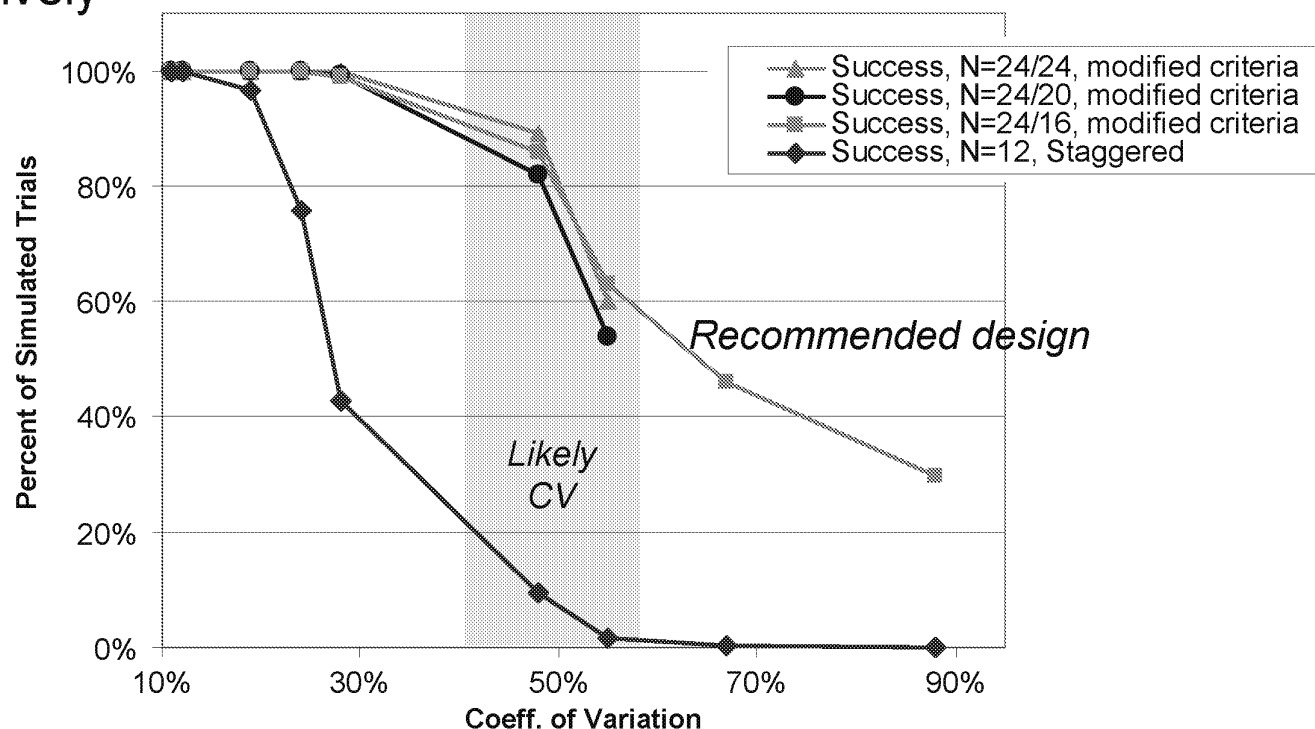




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## Proposed Semi-Parallel Trial Design is Estimated to Increase the Probability of Success from ~15% to ~80%

Recommendation: semi-parallel design has good chance of success for  $n=24$  and  $n=16$  in initial cohort and parallel cohorts, respectively



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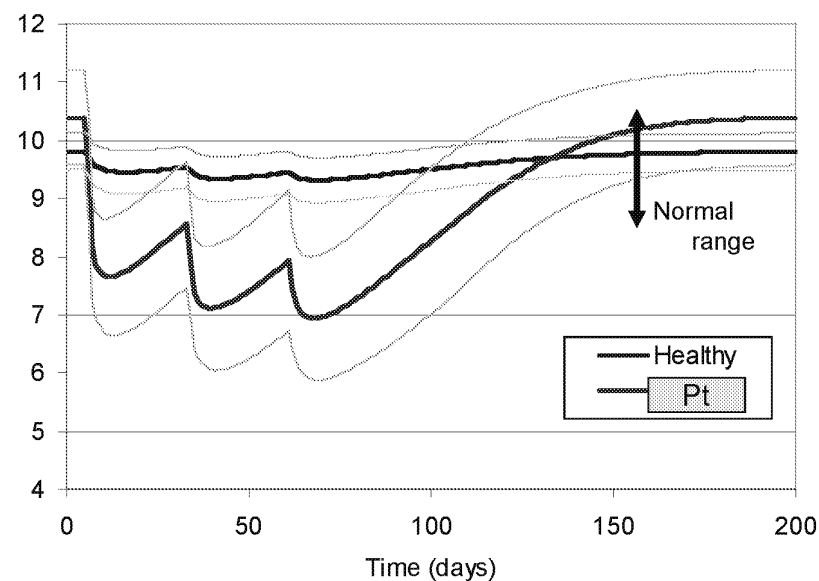
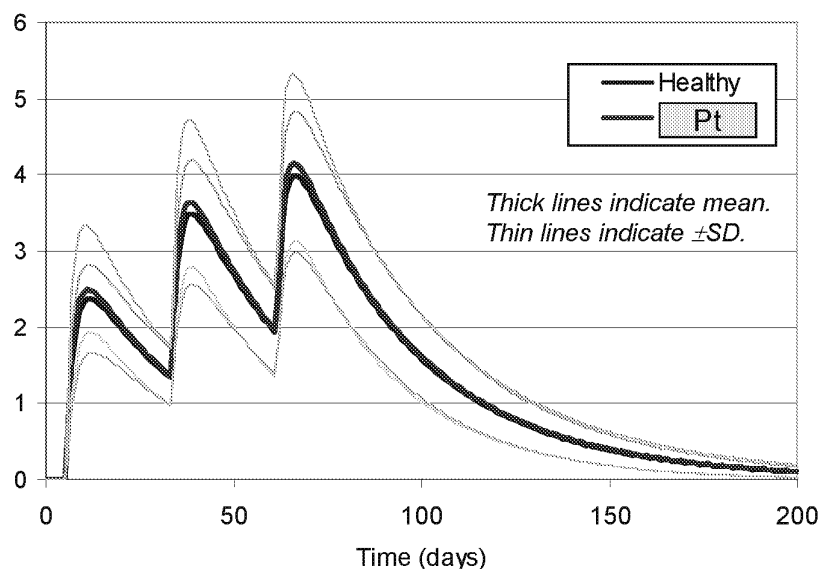
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CASE STUDY B

## Model Illuminates Secondary Safety Concerns

Model indicates that Compound treatment may lead to secondary safety concerns in target patients undergoing treatment, if not taken into account.



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## Secondary Safety Concerns

Model indicated that Compound treatment may lead to secondary safety concerns in target patients undergoing treatment

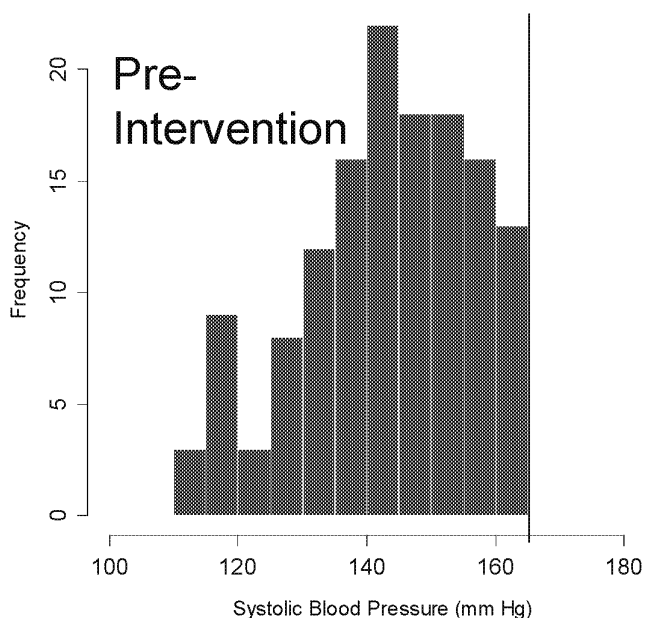
1. Severe hypocalcemia after intravenous administration of bisphosphonates has been observed in patients with poor mineral regulation.
2. Target patients present a particular risk due to limited endogenous mineral regulation.
3. Phase I studies with Compound in healthy patients show limited Ca effects due to normal mineral regulation in these patients.



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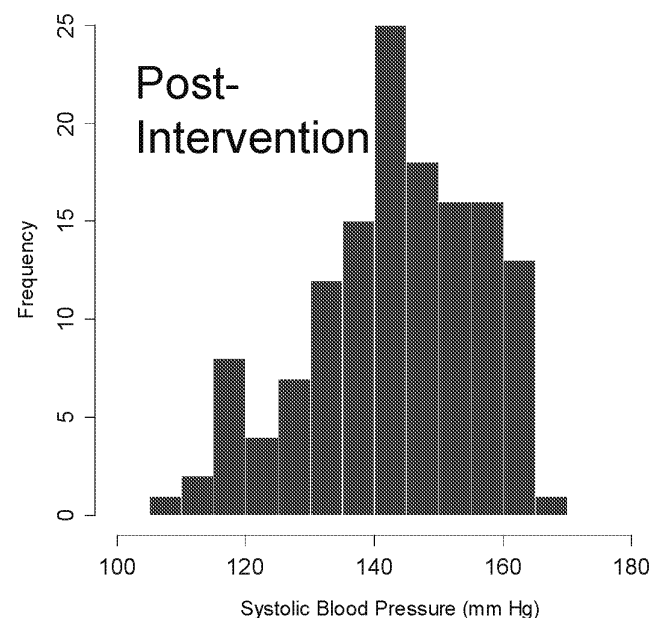
## Enhanced TheranOS Patient Cohort

After safety review, shows excellent agreement with Client data on variability in pre- and post- BP of patients.



Population mean: 150.6 mmHg  
Population SD: 18.0 mmHg

Population mean: 149.3 mmHg



143.2 mmHg } [Rohrscheib et al,  
13.3 mmHg } CJASN , 2008]

141.0 mmHg } Data from Client,  
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# Summary of Dose Titration Optimization for Hgb Maintenance and BP-Related Safety Profile

Dose titration designs

Endpoints		B3	B3a	B4	B5
All Patients	Safety profile (% population with high BP events)	8	17	8	10
	Hgb response at 1 month after last dose, (% responder patients within target Hgb range, 10-12 g/dL)	62	91	78	86
Excluding patients with baseline BP>160 mmHg	Safety profile in absence of high baseline BP patients >160 mmHg, (% population with high BP events)	0.8	6	0.8	1.6
	Hgb response at 1 month after last dose, (% responder patients within target Hgb range, 10-12 g/dL)	67	91	82	90
Implementation logistics	Information required for calculating each dose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <math>\Delta</math>Hb since last dose</li> <li>• <math>\Delta</math>Hb since 1<sup>st</sup> dose</li> <li>• Current Hb</li> </ul>		Additional Info <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Baseline BP</li> </ul>	Additional Info <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current BP</li> <li>• Max <math>\Delta</math>BP since last dose</li> <li>• Max sys BP since start of trial</li> </ul>

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## Summary of Trial Design Results and Insights Based on Modeling and Simulation

Using TheranOS model, optimized dose titration and Phase II clinical designs for target patients to meet clinical objectives, improve success probability, and accelerate development timelines

- Dose titration design predicted to improve efficacy across cohort of heterogeneous patients with improved safety profile (limits large/rapid Hgb excursion)
- Evaluated and proposed initial starting Compound dose for target patients to enhance response magnitude and rate with suitable safety profile
- Proposed semi-parallel trial design and modified success criteria predicted to increase statistical power from 15% to 80%

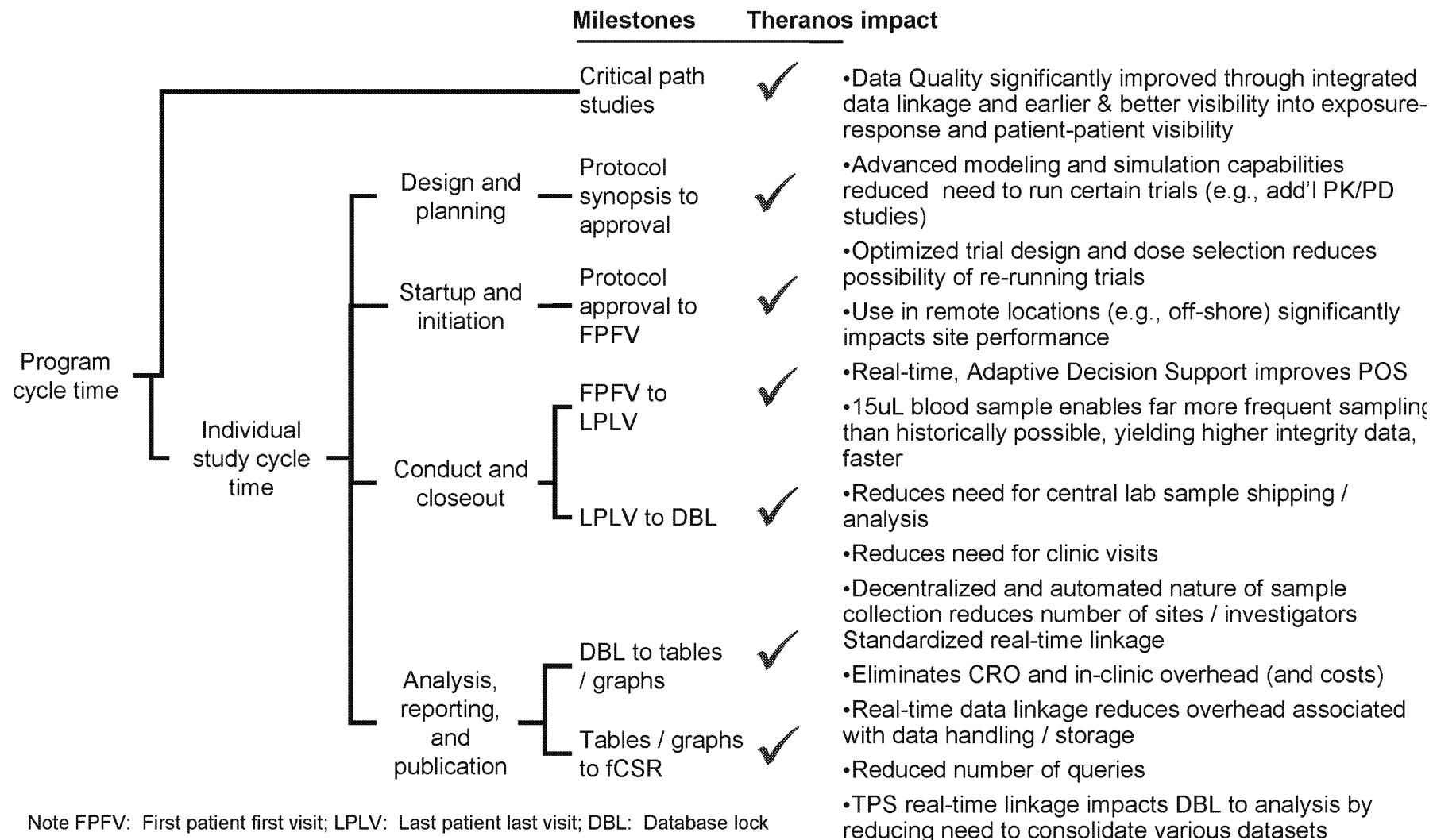
Selected insights based on model development included:

- Rapid hypertensive response may be due to three contributing factors: direct pharmacological effect, rise in viscosity (RBC), delayed rise in EPO (vasoconstriction).
- Identification of candidate biomarker (CTX/BAP ratio) for the prediction of BMD % change
- Delayed transient increase in EPO may be indicative of abnormal RBC/Hgb function.
- Compound treatment predicted to lead to secondary safety marker in target patients.





# ROI: Accelerating Timelines and Improving POS



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## Client ROI from POS Analyses & Recommendations

- Overview
  - Client with PoC study design question
  - Compound being used in anemia
- The Theranos Solution utilization
  - Theranos builds systems model to simulate PoC studies
  - Theranos recommends new PoC study design
- The Theranos Solution impact
  - Theranos increased probability of success from ~15% to ~80%
  - Theranos study design eNPV impact of ~\$202 million



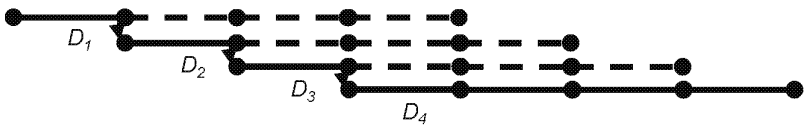
## The Theranos Solution – Overview

Build predictive model and use it to design proof-of-concept study.

### Overview

- \* Theranos asked to build a predictive model for a drug with highly complex interacting physiologies and tightly limiting safety concern
- \* Theranos used the model to help design a proof-of-concept study that improved odds of success

### Client design

- \* Client had originally designed a proof of concept study that included
    - Staggered dosing regimen
- 
- Titration regimen that had high degree of variability in patient responses (bouncing between too strong or too weak a response)
- \* Client had indicated that if the compound failed in the PoC study, there were 3 likely outcomes
  - Terminating compound development
  - Re-doing PoC study
  - Taking forward multiple doses forward for Phase 2b





## The Theranos Solution – Utilization

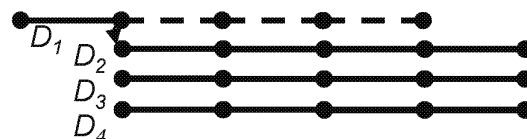
Built complex model and proposed optimized study design within 6 months.

### Timeline of events

- Feb, Theranos receives request
- Mar, Theranos receives data to begin modeling
- Jun, Complex systems model built from scratch, with initial physiologically meaningful results
- July, Systems model and simulations completed with solution delivered to Client

### Theranos Solution

- The Theranos Solution improved odds of success in a number of ways, including:
  - Building a complex systems model
  - Proposing a new proof of concept study design based on extensive simulation of underlying physiology including
  - Proposing a semi-parallel dosing regimen



- Proposing a new titration regimen that reduced the likelihood of excursions above the maximum desired response and reduced the number of low-responders



## The Theranos Solution – Impact on Success

Optimized study design increased probability of success from ~15% to ~80%.

### Theranos Impact

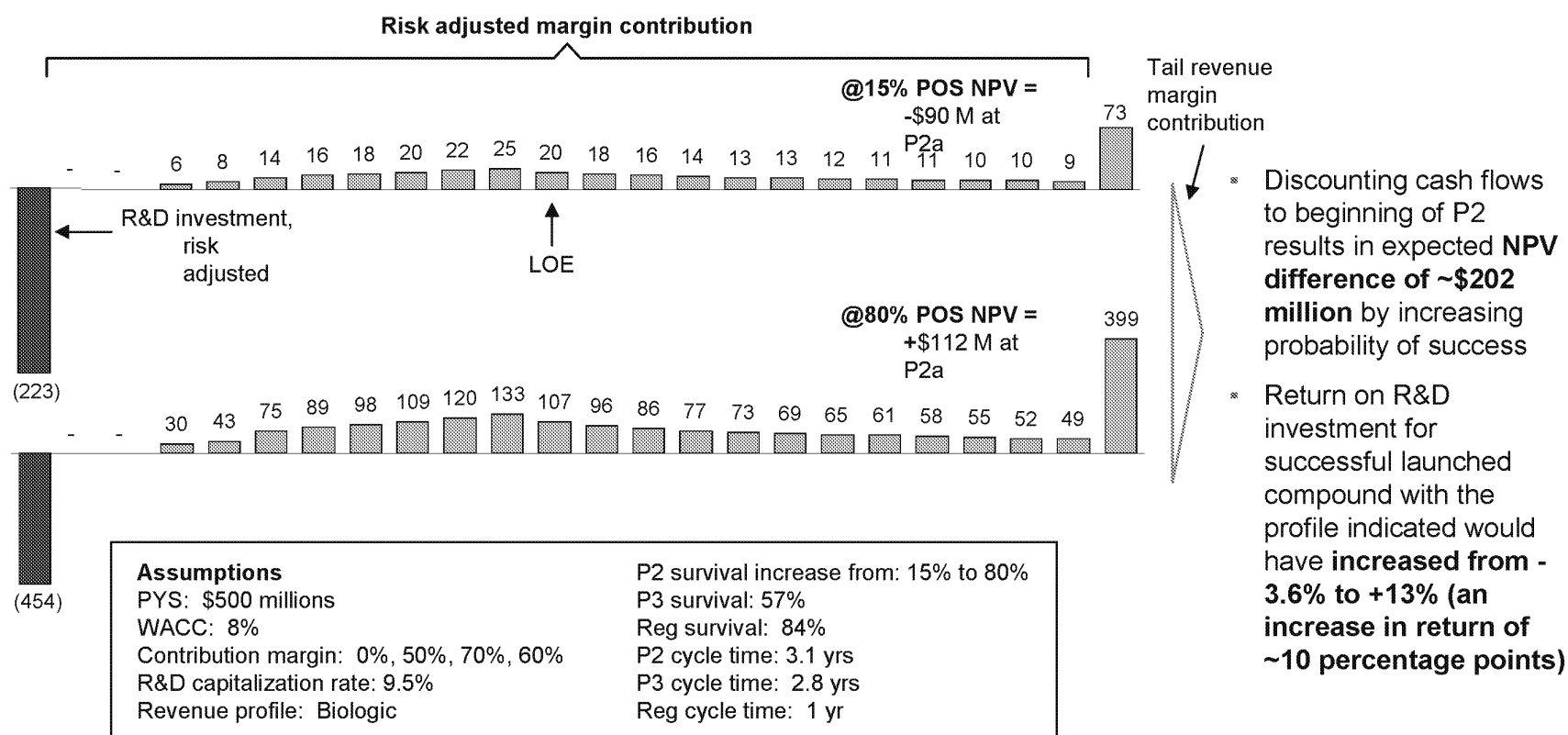
- Probability of success through study design
  - New study design optimized dosing and titration regimens to patient responses, resulting in improved odds of success from ~15% to ~80% by causing:
    - Fewer excursions above highest dose range
    - Faster average onset of action
- Guidance to regulatory agency
  - Theranos accompanied client at meetings with regulatory agency to present new study design and rationale (and then designs for all following studies)
- Client reaction
  - Client believes The Theranos Solution study design significantly reduced likelihood of (re-)running additional studies; Estimates an impact of 18+ months saved in clinical development timeline

- *Theranos improved Quality by improving probability of success through optimized study design with eNPV impact of \$202 million (see next slide)*
- *Theranos also improved Speed/Cost by reducing the need to re-do PoC study (typical PoC 18-24 months, \$10-\$20 million)*



## CASE STUDY B

# Improving probability of survival in PoC from 15% to 80% resulted in eNPV of ~\$202 million for late market drug entrant



SOURCE: PharmaProjects; DiMasi et al. 2002 Journal of Health Economics

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## The Theranos Solution – Impact on ROI

### Assumptions:

- Late-to-market drug
- Potential safety issues
- Competing against established drugs
- Minimal peak year sales and success probabilities

### Initial Probability of Success of 15%

- At Phase 2, value of the drug is -\$90 million
- Economically unfeasible at proposed success rate
- Development is likely to be stopped
- Considering development investment to date, IRR = 3.6%

### Theranos Improvement to Probability of Success of 80%

- At Phase 2, value of the drug became +\$112 million
- Theranos added ~\$202 million value
- Theranos effectively increases ROI to 13%.





## Eliminating the need to repeat a single study accelerated development (estimated 18-24 months)

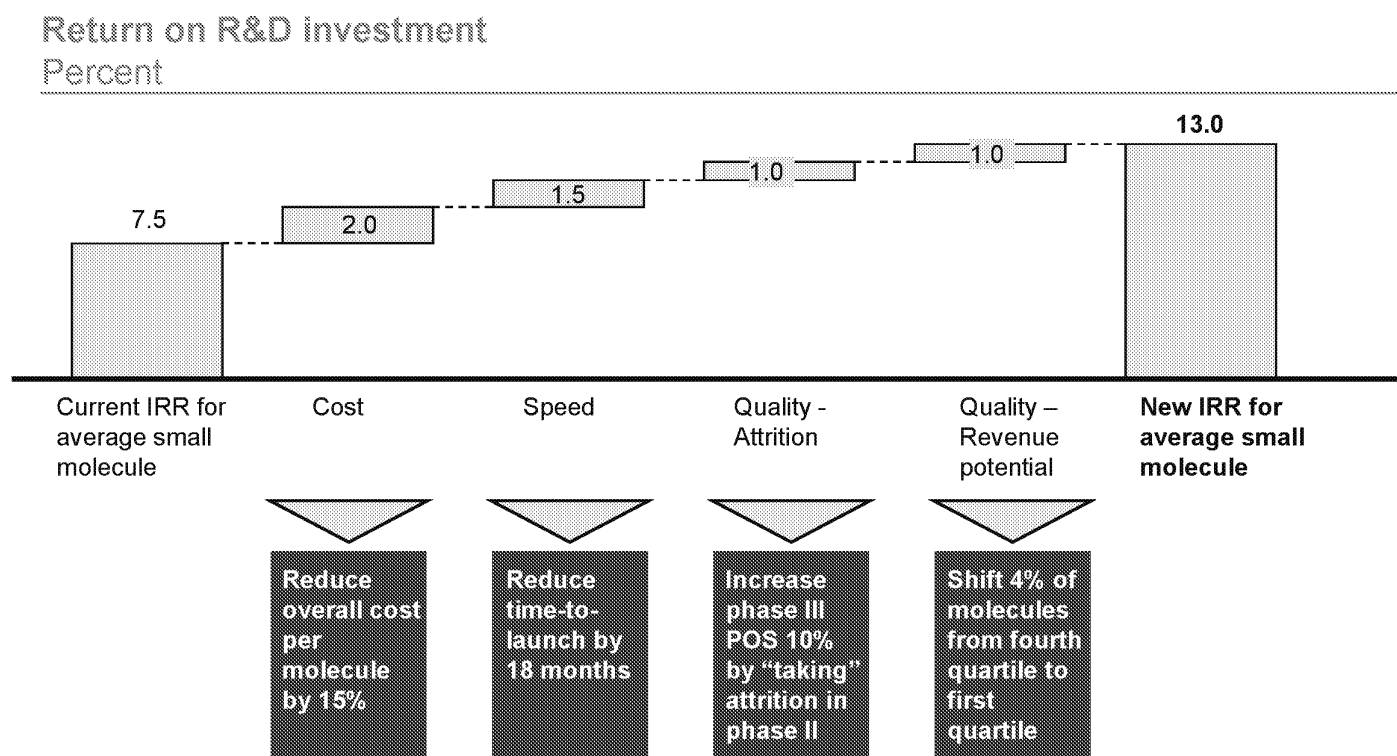
### TPS impact

- Return on R&D investment for successful launched compound **increased ~10 percentage points**
  - Further reduction of fully loaded cost of R&D and increase of revenues from time savings
- By realizing the improvement in attrition rate across the entire portfolio versus just one compound, biopharmaceutical companies are realizing a further reduction in the fully loaded cost of R&D, because in an aggregate portfolio fewer wasted trials yield lower spend for the overall portfolio irrespective of development timelines.



## Increasing Return on R&D Investment

External research shows that pulling several operational levers can increase return on R&D investment.

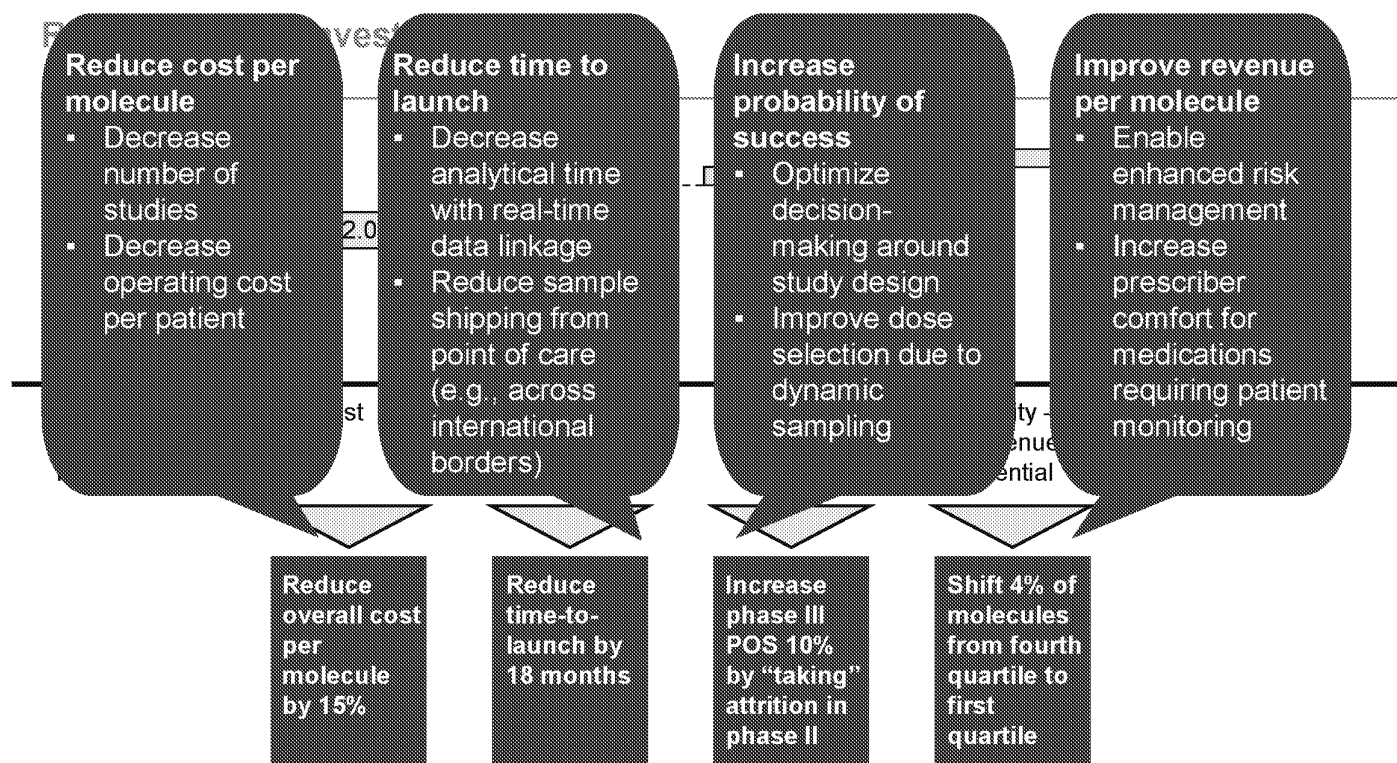


SOURCE: E. David, et al. "Pharmaceutical R&D: The Road to positive R&D returns", *Nature Reviews Drug Discovery*

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## Theranos can help achieve these improvements.



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## **Exhibit 8**

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**Cc:** Sunny Baiwani[sbaiwani@theranos.com]  
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Multiplexed Panel Validation Report FDA-ICH.pdf

Bruce,

Great to talk with you. Please find the FDA/ICH validation report we discussed attached to this email. We'll follow up with you on the store location recommendations and biohazard guidance under separate cover.

All my best,

Elizabeth.

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**From:** Bruce Shepard [mailto:Bruce.Shepard@wal-mart.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 17, 2010 12:50 PM  
**To:** Elizabeth Holmes  
**Subject:** RE: times to talk

Just sent the meeting planner. Thanks Elizabeth!

Thanks,  
Bruce Shepard  
479.204.6857  
[bruce.shepard@wal-mart.com](mailto:bruce.shepard@wal-mart.com)

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 17, 2010 2:47 PM  
**To:** Bruce Shepard  
**Cc:** Sunny Balwani; Carolyn Balkenhol  
**Subject:** RE: times to talk

Bruce.

Let's do it Friday. We can call your office at 10 AM CST?

Elizabeth.

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**From:** Bruce Shepard [mailto:Bruce.Shepard@wal-mart.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 17, 2010 11:25 AM  
**To:** Elizabeth Holmes  
**Subject:** times to talk

Elizabeth – I am so sorry about the schedule today and thanks for understanding! Looking at the calendar, I could either of the following times, whichever is best for you. I will be traveling Sunday and Monday and in meetings all day Tuesday. Look forward to catching up. Thanks.

Friday between 10a1pm

Wednesday 2-4pm

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## **Assay Development Report**

### **Theranos Systems Multiplexed Human IL-6, Human TNF- $\alpha$ , Human CRP (hs)**

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#### **1. Introduction**

The Theranos Assay System is a fully automated means for measuring concentrations of analytes (biomarkers, drugs) using immunoassay methodology. The system is comprised of instruments, single-use cartridges and a wireless communications link that conveys protocol information to the instruments from a Theranos Server and relays assay data to the Server for interpretation and distribution. Blood, plasma serum and control materials may be analyzed by the System. Calibration is performed at Theranos on a cartridge-lot-specific basis.

The System accepts a metered sample (25uL) from a proprietary sampling device or a pipette, dilutes it automatically to levels appropriate to each assay then executes an automated ELISA assay protocol. The protocol is selected from a set of released protocols available on the Theranos Server and identified by reading a bar code on each cartridge. The bar code is also linked to an assay lot-specific calibration algorithm. Assays are complete in about one hour.

Assays are typically grouped (multiplexed) in particular cartridges designed to monitor specific disease and therapeutic processes. For example, a cartridge designed to monitor acute and inflammatory processes measures IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$  and CRP. Customer is interested in use of the Theranos System and has sponsored a validation exercise at Theranos focused on the inflammatory marker cartridge.

In this exercise, many instruments (60) and three lots of cartridges were used.

#### **2. Storage and Use**

Theranos cartridges should be stored in the original unopened packaging in an upright position at 4°C. Theranos instruments require no user maintenance or calibration. User prompts are provided on a screen which is part of the instrument.

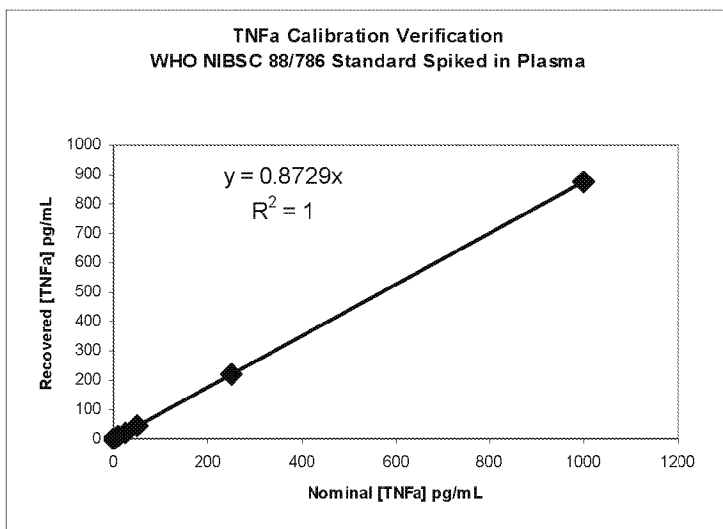
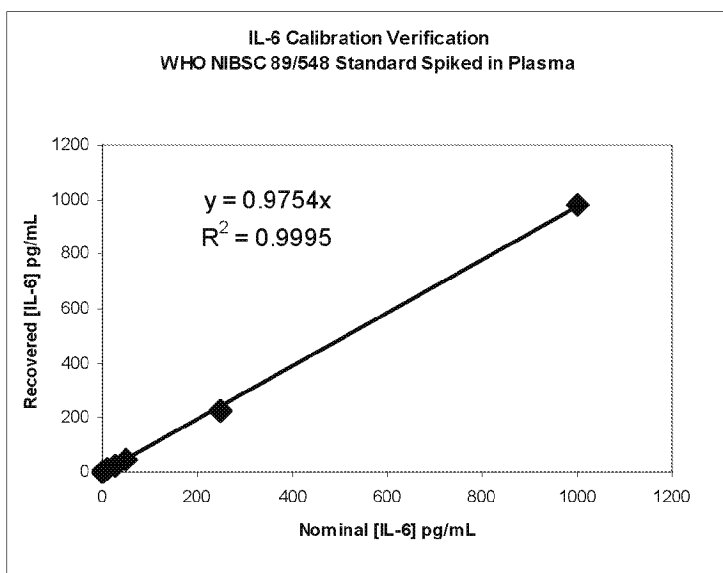


### 3. Calibration

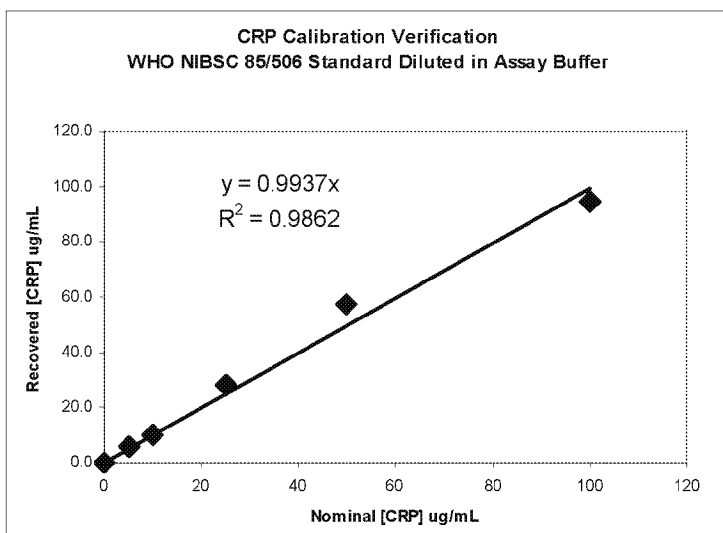
IL-6 and TNF- $\alpha$  assay calibration utilize recombinant analytes expressed in human-cell lines as calibration materials. These are reportedly more stable than recombinant analytes made in bacteria and more similar to the naturally occurring analytes. The CRP assay is calibrated with a human plasma-derived analyte. Theranos Systems assays recognize “natural”, recombinant, and human-cell line expressed recombinant forms of IL-6 and TNF- $\alpha$ . Each lot of Theranos Cartridges is individually calibrated, the calibration equation is linked to the cartridge barcode and results are automatically computed on the Theranos data server. For this validation study, three cartridge lots were produced and calibrated.

#### **NIBSC WHO Verification of Calibration**

Exemplary assay responses are shown in Appendix A. Calibrations for IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$  and CRP were verified by testing the recovery of the current National Institute for Biological Standards and Control (NIBSC) World Health Organization (WHO) Reference Standards. The current WHO standard for IL-6 is NIBSC code 89/548 (recombinant protein produced in CHO cells with post translational modifications), for TNF- $\alpha$  NIBSC code 88/786 (a natural human protein derived from human BALL-1 cells), and for CRP NIBSC code 85/506 from human plasma. Spike recovery of all three WHO standards were within acceptable limits across the assay ranges as shown in the figures and tables below. Note that for the TNF- $\alpha$  assay we found low recovery (about 30%) of the WHO standard in a reference kit (R&D Systems Quantikine HS catalogue # HSTA00D, data shown in Appendix B). Therefore comparisons of sensitivity and slopes of assay correlations of results of the Theranos System with those of R&D Systems kits will show different results due to their respective calibrations. For example, the R&D Systems Assay would report a TNF- $\alpha$  value of 4 pg/mL when the Theranos Assay reports 12 pg/mL. If desired by a customer the Theranos System can be configured (in calibration algorithms) to provide results matching those of R&D Systems assays (or those of other predicate assay). It is our intention however to continue to perform primary calibration of Theranos assays using International Standard materials whenever possible since predicate assays not so calibrated may be subject to lot-to-lot variation in calibration.







**Theranos Systems Recovery of IL-6 (NIBSC code 89/548) Spiked in Plasma**  
n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level

[IL-6] IU/mL	[IL-6] pg/ml	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	1000	981.1	11	980.1	98
25	250	227.1	16	226.2	90
5	50	45.2	10	44.2	88
3	25	21.5	8	20.5	82
1	10	10.5	9	9.5	95
0	0	1.0	47	0.0	N/A

**Theranos Systems Recovery of TNF- $\alpha$  (NIBSC code 88/786) Spiked in Plasma**  
n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level

[TNFa] IU/mL	[TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNF- $\alpha$ ] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
46.5	1000	873.4	3	873.0	89
11.6	250	218.7	3	218.3	96
2.3	50	44.0	10	43.5	96
1.2	25	20.9	22	20.4	95
0.5	10	10.9	19	10.5	100
0	0	0.4	14	0.0	N/A

**Theranos Systems Recovery of CRP (NIBSC code 85/506) in Assay Buffer**  
n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level

[CRP] IU/mL	[CRP] ug/ml	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	% Recovery
98	100	94.6	2	95
49	50	57.4	18	115
24.5	25	28.1	15	113
10	10	10.2	14	102
4.9	5	5.7	20	114



0	0	0.0	30	N/A
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#### 4. Range

Reportable ranges based on calibration to WHO standards determined for these assays are:

Assay	Low	High
IL-6	2 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL
TNF- $\alpha$	4 <sup>1</sup> pg/mL	1000 pg/mL
CRP	0.05 ug/mL	100 ug/mL

As shown below, all three tested lots support these ranges<sup>2</sup>.

#### 5. Quantitation Limits

Assay calibrations and determination of Lower Limit of Quantitation (LLOQ) and Upper Limit of Quantitation (ULOQ) were performed and analyzed by proprietary software. Assay responses were fitted by a four-parameter equation and LLOQ and ULOQ determined according to FDA criteria. Calibrators were run in triplicate on three days (consecutive or non-consecutive) on 36 instruments for a total of nine cartridges per level, at 12 levels.

#### Summary of Calibration Analysis for three Cartridge Lots

Lot 2455142005	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	1.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL
Lot 2455146006	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	1.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL
Lot 2455156002	IL-6	TNF- $\alpha$	CRP
LLOQ	2.3 pg/mL	6.3 pg/mL	0.05 ug/mL
ULOQ	1000 pg/mL	1000 pg/mL	150 ug/mL

#### Limits of detection (LOD)

The range in the Limits of detection calculated as  $2 \times \text{Signal SD} / \text{Slope of dose response}$  ( $\square \text{signal} / \square \text{conc}$ ) are reported for the three lots of Theranos cartridges. Comparison data are also given for R&D Systems assays Minimum Detectable Dose "MDD" (which is equivalent to LOD). In addition to the calibration issue for the R&D Systems TNF- $\alpha$  assay discussed above which gives a four-fold lower limit for R&D Systems, we believe the calculation of MDD performed by R&D Systems may be compromised (falsely low) by the inability of any known

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent to 1 pg/mL in the R&D Systems assay calibrated using R&D Systems calibrators

<sup>2</sup> The lower limit of the reportable range of the TNF- $\alpha$  assay has been extended below the LLOQ so as not to restrict the reportable range too much. The LLOQ is higher than anticipated due to unexpectedly high imprecision of the assay in the cartridge lots used for validation compared with other cartridge lots used in pre-clinical work. We are presently investigating the root cause of this imprecision.



spectrometer to report optical density to the required precision needed to support the calculated values.

The CRP MDD reported by R&D Systems is highly misleading since it represents the concentration in the assay rather than in the sample (which “must be diluted” according to their package insert prior to assay). Note that the Theranos assay uses a sample which is diluted 5000-fold. If we compare the actual sensitivity *in the assay medium* the Theranos value would be about 0.006 ng/mL.

Assay System	IL-6 (pg/mL)	TNF- $\alpha$ (pg/mL)	CRP (ng/mL)
Theranos	0.9 – 1.5	3.7 – 5.2	28 - 31
R&D Systems	0.02 – 0.11	0.04 – 0.19	0.005 – 0.22
R&D Systems <sup>3</sup>		0.16 – 0.76	

## 6. Precision and Accuracy

Plasma with low endogenous analyte levels was spiked with three levels of the analytes were measured in 16 cartridges per level on 48 instruments. Recovery of the spiked analyte was good. Imprecision (% CV) ranged from 10 - 25 %. Note that the imprecision cited includes both instrument-instrument and cartridge-cartridge variance.

### Spiked Plasma Samples (n=16 cartridges, n=48 instruments)

Nominal [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	StDev	CV %	% Recovery
800.3	806.9	79.8	9.9	101
50.3	50.5	4.7	9.2	100
5.3	5.1	0.8	15.5	96
Nominal [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	StDev	CV %	% Recovery
500.3	418.9	39.6	9.5	84
50.3	42.7	5.1	12.0	85
12.3	12.9	3.2	24.6	105
Nominal [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	StDev	CV %	% Recovery
50.1	50.4	10.0	19.9	101
1.6	1.6	0.3	16.8	97
0.1	0.1	0.0	20.6	103

## 7. Specificity

Assays were tested for cross reactivity and interference by the factors listed below, at high, mid and low analyte levels. Potential cross-reactants were selected based on package inserts of recognized predicate methods and added at levels deemed to be higher than those likely to be found in clinical samples. No significant cross reactivity or interference was observed for any of the assays by any of the tested factors at all analyte levels tested.

<sup>3</sup> Recalculated to reflect calibration to WHO standard material



<b>IL-6 Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)</b>					
<b>Substance</b>	<b>[Test Substance] ng/mL</b>	<b>Target [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
Control	0	1000.3	1100.3	7.8	110
	0	90.3	95.8	16.6	106
	0	8.3	9.4	4.8	113
IL-1 $\alpha$	10	1000.3	939.2	2.9	94
	10	90.3	97.0	15.7	107
	10	8.3	9.0	6.9	108
IL-2	10	1000.3	1047.7	1.7	105
	10	90.3	86.7	9.4	96
	10	8.3	8.7	22.3	105
IL-3	10	1000.3	950.0	12.7	95
	10	90.3	91.9	4.6	102
	10	8.3	7.9	4.4	95
IL-4	10	1000.3	908.0	10.9	91
	10	90.3	79.9	16.7	88
	10	8.3	8.1	18.1	97
IL-6 sR	50	1000.3	914.9	18.0	91
	50	90.3	81.2	1.3	90
	50	8.3	8.0	29.0	96
IL-7	10	1000.3	895.0	10.0	89
	10	90.3	78.1	9.1	87
	10	8.3	8.2	9.4	99
IL-8	10	1000.3	927.8	9.7	93
	10	90.3	82.3	17.1	91
	10	8.3	8.4	17.6	101
IL-11	10	1000.3	897.5	12.5	90
	10	90.3	90.3	6.1	100
	10	8.3	7.9	2.2	95
IL-12	10	1000.3	837.6	8.4	84
	10	90.3	85.8	14.7	95
	10	8.3	6.8	18.1	82
CNTF	10	1000.3	900.6	8.4	90
	10	90.3	95.3	5.8	106
	10	8.3	8.9	22.4	107
G-CSF	10	1000.3	925.0	18.7	92
	10	90.3	90.2	12.8	100
	10	8.3	9.7	6.9	117
sgp130	1000	1000.3	895.5	17.0	90
	1000	90.3	88.6	2.0	98
	1000	8.3	9.4	3.2	114
LIF R	50	1000.3	895.2	2.8	89
	50	90.3	78.5	16.5	87
	50	8.3	8.9	19.8	107
OSM	10	1000.3	945.4	9.5	95
	10	90.3	77.1	10.0	85



<b>IL-6 Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)</b>					
<b>Substance</b>	<b>[Test Substance] ng/mL</b>	<b>Target [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
	10	8.3	6.9	16.8	83
TNF- $\beta$	10	1000.3	919.6	8.6	92
	10	90.3	83.3	15.8	92
	10	8.3	9.4	7.8	113
IL-1 $\beta$	10	1000.3	901.2	8.1	90
	10	90.3	85.7	17.6	95
	10	8.3	7.5	10.5	90
sTNF RI	10	1000.3	1025.2	9.2	102
	10	90.3	83.4	11.4	92
	10	8.3	9.4	16.5	114
sTNF RII	10	1000.3	963.3	13.8	96
	10	90.3	90.7	10.2	100
	10	8.3	9.3	21.0	112

<b>TNF-<math>\alpha</math> Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)</b>					
<b>Substance</b>	<b>[Test Substance] ng/mL</b>	<b>Target [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
Control	0	900.3	883.7	4.1	98
	0	90.3	85.4	4.1	95
	0	8.3	8.3	40.4	100
IL-1 $\alpha$	10	900.3	849.1	5.5	94
	10	90.3	89.6	12.7	99
	10	8.3	8.8	16.0	106
IL-2	10	900.3	855.2	23.5	95
	10	90.3	90.8	7.9	101
	10	8.3	9.6	18.5	116
IL-3	10	900.3	836.5	23.5	93
	10	90.3	74.3	5.4	82
	10	8.3	8.2	29.2	98
IL-4	10	900.3	884.6	6.9	98
	10	90.3	89.5	8.5	99
	10	8.3	7.0	49.3	84
IL-6 sR	50	900.3	874.0	23.5	97
	50	90.3	77.8	13.8	86
	50	8.3	8.6	34.8	103
IL-7	10	900.3	871.9	6.3	97
	10	90.3	82.8	37.1	92
	10	8.3	7.6	22.9	91
IL-8	10	900.3	774.4	1.8	86
	10	90.3	83.4	13.5	92
	10	8.3	7.9	12.6	95
IL-11	10	900.3	901.8	1.5	100
	10	90.3	90.7	19.6	100
	10	8.3	9.3	36.8	112
IL-12	10	900.3	770.9	7.3	86



<b>TNF-<math>\alpha</math> Assay Specificity Test in Spiked Plasma (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)</b>					
<b>Substance</b>	<b>[Test Substance] ng/mL</b>	<b>Target [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
	10	90.3	77.4	15.8	86
	10	8.3	7.9	56.7	96
CNTF	10	900.3	920.1	6.0	102
	10	90.3	82.5	9.7	91
	10	8.3	8.7	18.9	105
G-CSF	10	900.3	1052.6	3.7	117
	10	90.3	95.6	20.7	106
	10	8.3	9.1	9.6	110
sgp130	1000	900.3	891.3	16.8	99
	1000	90.3	93.8	9.1	104
	1000	8.3	10.1	25.1	122
LIF R	50	900.3	781.5	20.7	87
	50	90.3	87.3	15.2	97
	50	8.3	9.1	12.1	110
OSM	10	900.3	862.1	10.6	96
	10	90.3	85.2	23.8	94
	10	8.3	7.4	54.1	89
TNF- $\beta$	10	900.3	804.0	24.7	89
	10	90.3	90.7	16.4	100
	10	8.3	7.7	32.3	92
IL-1 $\beta$	10	900.3	900.0	17.3	100
	10	90.3	83.1	16.6	92
	10	8.3	8.3	33.1	101
sTNF RI	10	900.3	833.0	21.8	93
	10	90.3	86.4	19.5	96
	10	8.3	6.7	21.6	80
sTNF RII	10	900.3	801.3	8.9	89
	10	90.3	93.6	3.0	104
	10	8.3	8.2	14.2	99

<b>CRP Assay Specificity Test in Assay Buffer (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)</b>					
<b>Substance</b>	<b>[Test Substance] ng/mL</b>	<b>Target [CRP] ug/ml</b>	<b>Recovered [CRP] ug/ml</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
Control	0	50	53.0	16	106
	0	10	8.1	34	81
	0	0.75	0.7	13	91
Pentraxin-2/SAP	30	50	49.2	19	98
	30	10	8.9	9	89
	30	0.75	0.8	4	102
Pentraxin-3/TSG-14	10	50	40.6	7	81
	10	10	8.2	14	82
	10	0.75	0.7	5	100



## 8. Linearity

A plasma sample with low endogenous analyte levels was spiked with known levels of IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ , and CRP then diluted serially with the unspiked plasma. All assays showed an appropriate linear dilution response across the dilution range (500 – 2000-fold). Data are tabulated and graphed below.

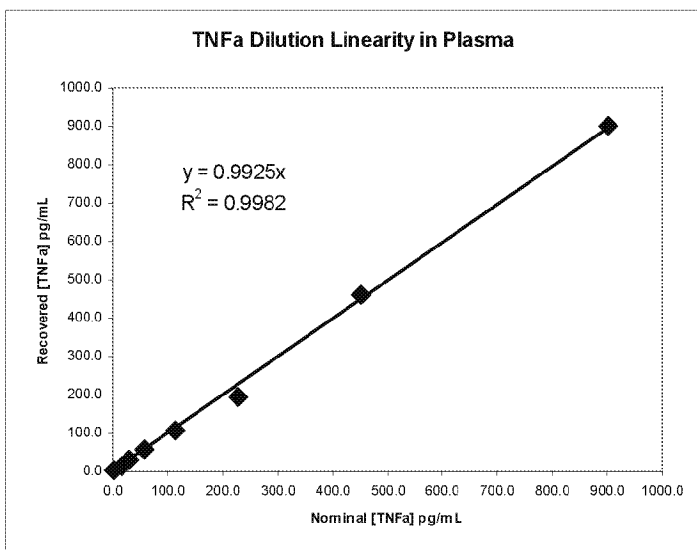
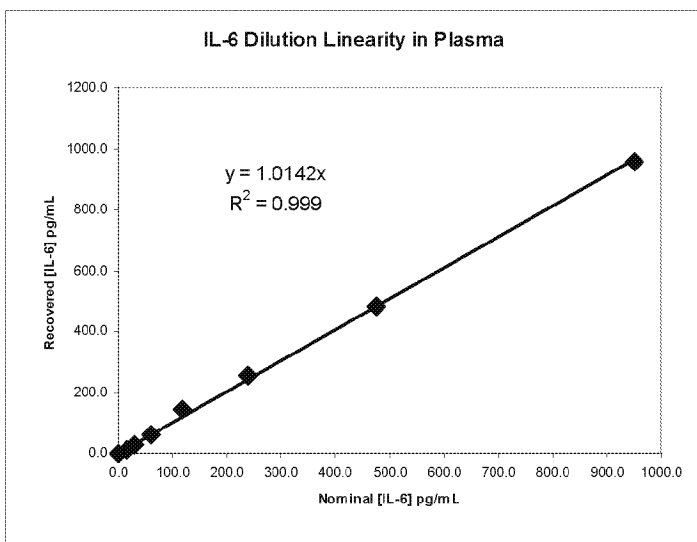
### Dilution Linearity in Plasma, Multiplexed Assays (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)

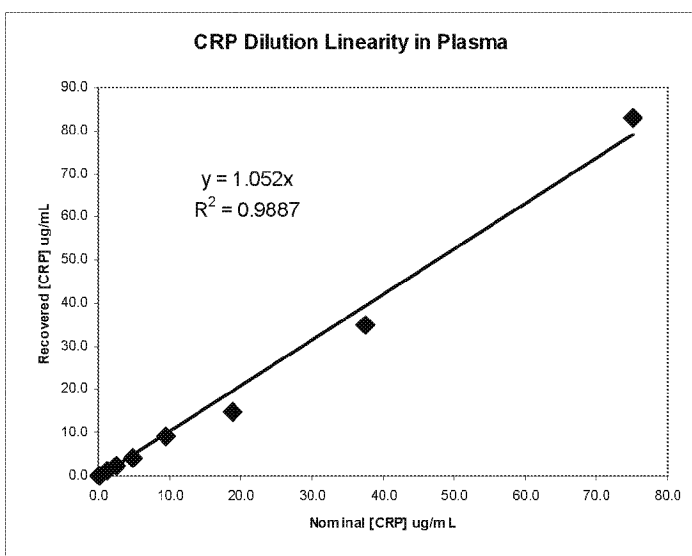
IL-6				
Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	[Expected] pg/ml	[Recovered] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
950	950.5	958.1	7	101
	475.5	480.9	11	101
	238.0	256.1	18	108
	119.2	143.9	25	121
	59.8	62.3	3	104
	30.1	28.3	23	94
	15.3	13.3	34	87
	0.5	0.5	88	100

TNF- $\alpha$				
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	[Expected] pg/ml	[Recovered] pg/mL	CV %	% Recovery
900	902.7	899.2	11	100
	452.7	461.5	9	102
	227.7	194.6	6	85
	115.2	105.0	11	91
	59.0	56.1	2	95
	30.9	30.6	4	99
	16.8	14.9	26	89
	2.7	2.7	14	100

CRP				
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	[Expected] ug/ml	[Recovered] ug/mL	CV %	% Recovery
75	75.1	82.8	34	110
	37.6	35.0	0	93
	18.8	14.7	10	78
	9.5	9.1	12	96
	4.8	4.1	8	85
	2.4	2.4	7	98
	1.3	1.3	15	102
	0.1	0.1	29	100







## 9. Matrix Effects

Plasma or serum containing various potentially interfering factors or substances were spiked with known levels of analyte and the resulting recovery of the spiked analyte calculated after correction for endogenous analyte. None of the assays showed interference from icteric, hemolyzed, lipemic, or rheumatoid factor-positive samples as shown in the tables below

**NORMAL SERUM Sample: PromedDx 10739123 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1019.1	14	1015.82	102
250	224.9	4	221.58	89
50	47.7	14	44.42	89
25	25.3	6	22.01	88
10	12.6	9	9.29	93
0	3.3	43	0.00	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1019.1	14	1014.7	101
250	224.9	4	220.5	88
50	47.7	14	43.3	87
25	25.3	6	20.9	84
10	12.6	9	8.2	82
0	4.4	60	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	107.4	11	107.3	107
50	49.3	13	49.3	99
25	25.0	23	24.9	100
10	9.6	41	9.5	95
5	5.9	17	5.8	116
0	0.1	12	0.0	

**LIPEMIC SERUM Sample: Vital Products SFB8315 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

<b>Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
1000	872.5	15	868.8	87
250	214.1	4	210.4	84
50	47.8	15	44.1	88
25	24.5	6	20.8	83
10	14.4	19	10.7	107
0	3.7	12	0.0	
<b>Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
1000	965.0	17	962.8	96
250	230.8	15	228.6	91
50	56.6	40	54.4	109
25	25.4	13	23.2	93
10	14.8	14	12.6	126
0	2.2	32	0.0	
<b>Spiked [CRP] ug/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [CRP] ug/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
100	119.4	36	119.1	119
50	54.2	40	53.9	108
25	24.4	25	24.1	96
10	10.4	9	10.1	101
5	5.8	15	5.6	111
0	0.2	12	0.0	

**HEMOLYZED PLASMA Sample: Stanford W070509118560 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

<b>Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
1000	1010.9	10	1010.0	101
250	274.6	13	273.7	109
50	51.6	2	50.7	101
25	26.8	11	25.9	104
10	10.5	12	9.6	96
0	0.9	41	0.0	
<b>Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
1000	898.7	14	895.1	90
250	223.5	12	219.9	88
50	44.2	11	40.6	81
25	27.7	23	24.1	96
10	12.0	23	8.4	84
0	3.6	14	0.0	
<b>Spiked [CRP] ug/mL</b>	<b>Recovered [CRP] ug/mL</b>	<b>CV %</b>	<b>Minus Endogenous</b>	<b>% Recovery</b>
100	119.6	10	119.5	119
50	54.0	10	53.9	108
25	22.5	14	22.4	90
10	11.6	3	11.5	115
5	5.6	11	5.5	110
0	0.1	4	0.0	

**ICTERIC SERUM Sample: PromedDx 10739123 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	986.0	9	983.4	98
250	282.4	12	279.7	112
50	55.8	10	53.2	106
25	28.1	7	25.4	102
10	11.8	16	9.2	92
0	2.6	53	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	969.8	5	967.4	97
250	219.6	22	217.2	87
50	45.0	11	42.6	85
25	24.5	5	22.1	88
10	10.6	22	8.2	82
0	2.4	17	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	109.5	8	108.4	108
50	41.7	80	40.6	81
25	29.6	14	28.4	114
10	10.1	11	9.0	90
5	6.4	19	5.3	106
0	1.1	3	0.0	

**RHEUMATOID FACTOR POSITIVE SERUM Sample: Vital Products SFB7884 (n=3 cartridges, 3 instruments per level)**

Spiked [IL-6] pg/mL	Recovered [IL-6] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1118.0	10	1097.9	110
250	286.9	9	266.7	107
50	77.7	13	57.6	115
25	46.3	12	26.2	105
10	30.4	6	10.2	102
0	20.1	6	0.0	
Spiked [TNFa] pg/mL	Recovered [TNFa] pg/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
1000	1116.4	11	1112.3	111
250	228.9	5	224.8	90
50	48.0	13	43.9	88
25	24.2	13	20.1	80
10	14.0	20	9.9	99
0	4.1	27	0.0	
Spiked [CRP] ug/mL	Recovered [CRP] ug/mL	CV %	Minus Endogenous	% Recovery
100	110.9	18	105.8	106
50	49.1	17	44.0	88
25	34.2	29	29.0	116
10	15.5	9	10.3	103
5	10.9	11	5.7	114
0	5.2	28	0.0	



## 10. Stability

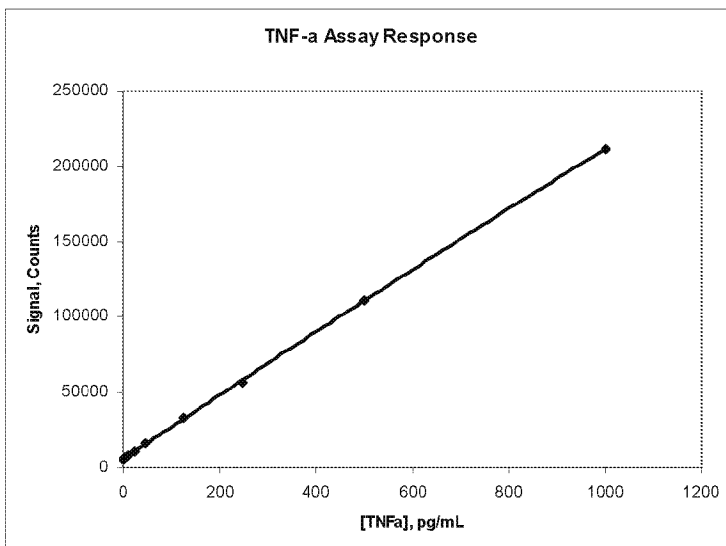
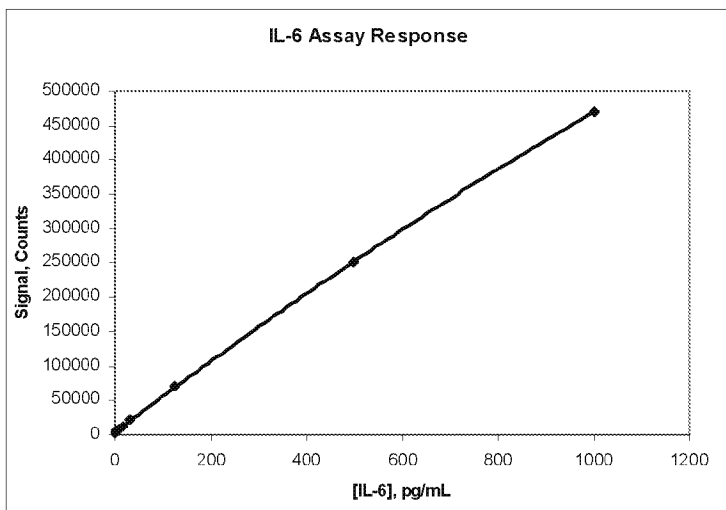
The stability of component reagents for the present assays has been studied individually in lots made previous to the present study. The capture surfaces were stable for over 12 months, and the detection conjugates for at least six months. Stability of the integrated cartridges used for this validation report stored at 4C is being monitored and an updated report will include this data. Cartridges are initially assigned an expiry date of three months post manufacture.

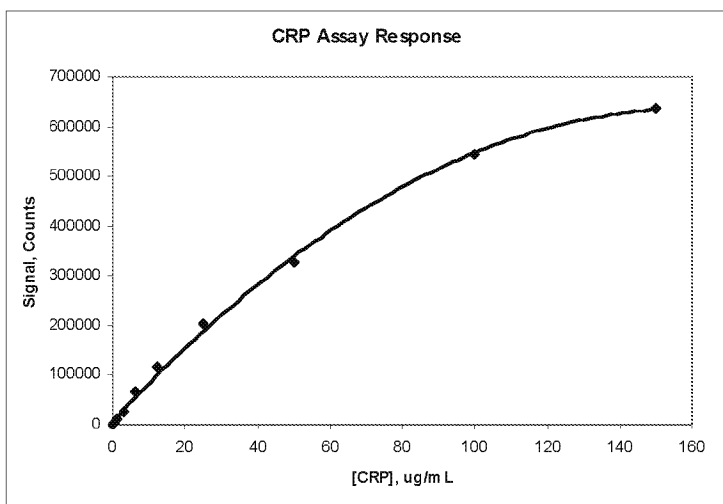
## Conclusions:

The Theranos IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ , CRP assay multiplex has been shown to give accurate and precise results for three independently calibrated cartridge lots and all the many instruments used. Assay calibration has been established using WHO or other standard materials. Lower and upper levels of quantitation have been established. The assays are specific for their respective analytes when tested against potential cross reactants and are not interfered with by agents that may cause problems in immunoassays. Dilution linearity is satisfactory for all the assays. Assay cartridge stability studies are underway.



## Appendix A









## Appendix B

### Comparison of Theranos Systems TNFa Calibration to Other Available Commercial Methods

Plasma samples were spiked with WHO TNF- $\alpha$  Standard (NIBSC code 88/786) and run in Theranos Systems and in R&D Quantikine High Sensitivity Human TNF- $\alpha$  ELISA (catalogue # HSTA00D). The results are shown below.

#### THERANOS SYSTEMS Recovery of TNFa WHO Standard Spiked in Plasma

Nominal Spike		1pg/mL = 0.0465 IU/mL			
[TNFa] IU/ml	[TNFa] pg/ml	Calc. pg/mL	Minus Endogenous	Calc. IU/mL	% Recovery
0	0	5.2	0.0		
0.1	2.5	8.1	2.9	0.1	118
0.2	5	11.5	6.3	0.3	126
0.5	10	14.9	9.7	0.5	97
1.2	25	35.9	30.8	1.4	123
2.3	50	57.6	52.4	2.4	105
11.6	250	217.6	212.5	9.9	85
46.5	1000	1120.6	1115.4	51.9	112

#### R&D QUANTIKINE HS ELISA Recovery of TNFa WHO Standard Spiked in Plasma

Nominal Spike		1pg/mL = 0.0465 IU/mL			
[TNFa] IU/ml	[TNFa] pg/ml	Calc. pg/mL	Minus Endogenous	Calc. IU/mL	% Recovery
0	0	0.2	0.0		
0.1	2.5	1.0	0.8	0.04	32
0.2	5	1.8	1.6	0.07	32
0.5	10	3.2	3.0	0.14	30
1.2	25	7.3	7.1	0.3	28
2.3	50	15.0	14.8	0.7	30
11.6	250	83.6	83.4	3.9	33
46.5	1000	308.0	307.7	14.3	31

